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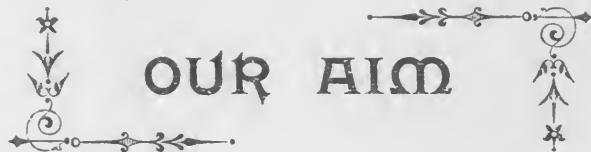
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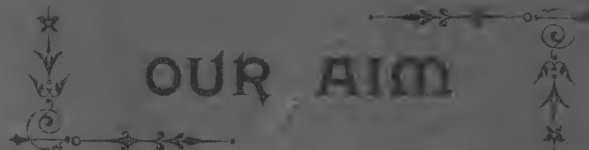
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Conference Sessions.

PLACE AND TIME.	BISHOP.	SECRETARY.
1—Kansas City, September 27 to October 5, 1871.....	Doggett.....	W. M. Prottzman
2—Nevada, October 2 to October 7, 1872.....	Pierce.....	W. M. Prottzman
3—Springfield, October 1 to October 7, 1873.....	Wightman.....	W. M. Prottzman
4—Lexington, September 30 to October 5, 1874.....	Keener.....	W. M. Prottzman
5—Neosho, October 13 to October 19, 1875.....	Keener.....	W. M. Prottzman
6—Miami, October 18 to October 23, 1876.....	McTyeire	C. C. Woods
7—Independence, September 27 to October 2, 1877.....	Marvin.....	C. C. Woods
8—Clinton, September 25 to October 1, 1878.....	Doggett.....	C. C. Woods
9—Kansas City, October 1 to October 6, 1879.....	Wightman	C. C. Woods
10—Marshall, September 27 to October 4, 1880.....	Keener.....	C. C. Woods
11—Springfield, September 28 to October 2, 1881.....	Pierce.....	C. C. Woods
12—Nevada, September 27 to October 2, 1882.....	Granbery.....	C. C. Woods
13—Boonville, September 26 to October 1, 1883	Wilson.....	C. C. Woods
14—Jefferson City, October 1 to October 6, 1884.....	Parker.....	C. C. Woods
15—Lexington, September 30 to October 5, 1885.....	Granbery	C. C. Woods
16—Kansas City, September 29 to October 5, 1886.....	McTyeire	C. C. Woods
17—Springfield, September 28 to October 3, 1887.....	Hendrix	C. C. Woods
18—Nevada, October 3 to October 8, 1888.	Hendrix	C. C. Woods
19—Marshall, October 2 to October 7, 1889	Granbery	C. C. Woods
20—Clinton, September 24 to September 29, 1890.....	Key	C. C. Woods

ROLL OF MEMBERS.

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*Indicates a Superannuated Relation. †Indicates a Supernumerary Relation. a Indicates Non-attendance on the Session.

MEMBERS' NAMES.	WHEN.	RECEIVED ON TRIAL	
		WHAT CONFERENCE.	
Adkisson, Milton.....	1855.....	St. Louis	
Auld, N. A.....	1873.....	Illinois	
Anderson, H. L.....	1876.....	Western	
Anthony, J. N.....	1877.....	Southwest Missouri	
Alton, B. V.....	1887.....	Southwest Missouri	
Alton, Thos. W.....	1888.....	Southwest Missouri	
Allen, Hugh C.....	1888.....	Southwest Missouri	
Appleby, A. B.....	1889.....	Southwest Missouri	
Brown, Wm. J.*a.....	1842.....	Missouri	
Bond, J. W.....	1855.....	St. Louis	
Barnaby, J P.*a.....	1856.....	Kansas	
Boon, J. M.....	1870.....	North Mississippi	
Briggs, C. H.....	1870.....	St. Louis	
Blevans, J. D. L.†a.....	1871.....	Southwest Missouri	
Busby, J. Y.....	1873.....	Illinois	
Bahrenburg, M.....	1877.....	Southwest Missouri	
Briggs, W. F.....	1881.....	Southwest Missouri	
Bewley, W. C.....	1883.....	Southwest Missouri	
Bruner, C.....	1886.....	Southwest Missouri	
Barrett, W. P.....	1887.....	Southwest Missouri	
Bishop, C. M.....	1887.....	Holston	
Byrd, W. A.....	1887.....	Southwest Missouri	
Briggs, A. C.....	—	Southwest Missouri	
Brown, S. J.....	—		
Cobb, T. M.†.....	1886.....	St. Louis	
Clenny, Clinton.....	1872.....	Tennessee	
Cobb, T. P.....	1874.....	Southwest Missouri	
Clark, J. M.....	1875.....	White River	
Coss, J. C.....	1875.....	Southwest Missouri	
Cobb, W. B.....	1880.....	Southwest Missouri	
Carpenter, W. J.....	1881.....	Southwest Missouri	
Crutsinger, V. M.....	1882.....	Southwest Missouri	
Carpenter, J. E.....	1885.....	Louisville	
Campbell, R. F.....	1888.....	Southwest Missouri	
Cayton, S. P.....	1888.....	Southwest Missouri	
Clayton, J. M.....	—		
Duren, M†.....	1856.....	St. Louis	
Davis, L. H.....	1870.....	Baltimore	
Dowdy, N. M. ^a	1881.....	Southwest Missouri	
Donaldson, A. B.....	1884.....	Southwest Missouri	
Denney, J. H.....	1887.....	Southwest Missouri	
Downing, L. R.....	—		

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Ellis, J. B.....	1876.....	Southwest Missouri
Emmons, C. A.....	1880.....	North Texas
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Ezell, J. W.....	1883.....	Southwest Missouri
Eustace, R. O.....	1888.....	Southwest Missouri
Frazier, E. G.....	1867.....	St. Louis
Faris, A. R.....	1876.....	Tennessee
Flummer, R. G.....	1880.....	West Virginia
Gill, W. T.....	1872.....	Tennessee
Given, J. C.....	1876.....	Southwest Missouri
Gragg, B. H.....	1884.....	Southwest Missouri
Ginn, E. Y.....	1884.....	Southwest Missouri
Green, G. H.....	1890.....	Southwest Missouri
Glanville, J. H.....	—	
Godbey, J. E.....	—	
Hagler, J. L.....	1859.....	St. Louis
Hogan, J. F.....	1866.....	St. Louis
Hunter, R. S.....	1865.....	Arkansas
Hawkins, Milton M.....	1870.....	North Alabama
Holloway, R. A.....	1871.....	Southwest Missouri
Hawkins, Chas. M.....	1880.....	Southwest Missouri
Houston, A. L.....	1881.....	Southwest Missouri
Huggins, J. N.....	1884.....	Southwest Missouri
Henderson, A. N.....	1888.....	Southwest Missouri
Hoare, R. J a.....	1888.....	Southwest Missouri
Horne, T. M.....	1889.....	Southwest Missouri
Hamilton, C. G.....	1889.....	Southwest Missouri
Hargis, J. R.....	1889.....	Southwest Missouri
Howard, C. C.....	1889.....	Southwest Missouri
Harris, T. B.....	1890.....	Southwest Missouri
Harney, J E.....	1890.....	Southwest Missouri
Hill, T. P.....	—	
Hogan, W. H	—	
Hill, J. J.....	—	
Jared, W. W.....	1868.....	Tennessee
Jared, J. A.....	1887.....	Southwest Missouri
Kelly, J. M*.....	1842	Missouri
King, Joseph.....	1860.....	Kansas
Kellar, J. J.....	1882.....	Southwest Missouri
Landreth, J. B.....	1858.....	St. Louis
Lowrance, J. W.....	1870.....	North Mississippi
Lewis, C. A.....	1887.....	Southwest Missouri
Long, Perry.....	1889.....	Southwest Missouri
Litaker, D. M.....	1889.....	Southwest Missouri
McFarland, W. B.*.....	1842.....	Pittsburg
McGehee, James*a.....	1854.....	St. Louis
Morris, J. C.....	1865.....	Kentucky
Mitchell, J. G. L.....	1875.....	Southwest Missouri
McAllister, W. M.....	1876.....	Southwest Missouri
Matthews, J. A.....	1880.....	Southwest Missouri
McClure, W. T.....	1882.....	Southwest Missouri
Maguire, W. L.....	1882.....	Southwest Missouri
McCrary, James.....	1886.....	Southwest Missouri

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Meredith, H. C.....	1887.....	Southwest Missouri
Moore, A. G.....	1887.....	Southwest Missouri
Morgan, W. B.....	1889.....	Southwest Missouri
McDonald, Rush ^a	—	
Moore, Frank	—	
Norfleet, L. P.....	1876.....	Southwest Missouri
Nelson, R. J.....	1879.....	Kentucky
Nickels, J. M.....	1888	Southwest Missouri
Proctor, J. M.*.....	1846.....	St. Louis
Prottsman, W. M.*	1846.....	Kentucky
Pugh, M. M.....	1853.....	Missouri and Arkansas
Philips, Preston.....	1857.....	Missouri
Payne, T. D.....	1869.....	St. Louis
Pearce, L. W.....	1871.....	Southwest Missouri
Philips, L. M.....	1874.....	Southwest Missouri
Pike, J. F.....	1876.....	Louisville
Palmore, W. B.....	1877.....	Southwest Missouri
Pike, W. G.....	1887.....	Southwest Missouri
Puckett, T. C.....	—	
Perry, J. W.....	—	
Rader, A. M. ^a	1851.....	St. Louis
Robb, J. F.....	1872.....	Illinois
Reed, J. J.....	1883.....	Southwest Missouri
Rothrock, J. W. E.....	1889.....	Southwest Missouri
Ryland, E. P	1890.....	Southwest Missouri
Price, D. B. ^a	1885.....	Southwest Missouri
Rankin, G. C. ^a	—	
Reynolds, T. J. ^a	—	
Russell, J. S.....	—	
Shackleford, J. C. ^{†a}	1854.....	St. Louis
Stewart, W. D. ^a	1857.....	St. Louis
Spencer, Joab*.....	1865.....	Missouri
Stringfield, T. J. ^a	1880.....	St. Louis
Shaeffer, R. H.....	1871.....	Southwest Missouri
Swift, J. A.....	1873.....	Southwest Missouri
Sevier, V. J.....	1874.....	Illinois
Son, W. H.....	1883.....	Southwest Missouri
Stultz, J. M.....	1885.....	Southwest Missouri
Snow, W. J.....	1888.....	Southwest Missouri
Smith, I. S.....?	1889.....	Southwest Missouri
Sullens, J. L.....	1889	Southwest Missouri
Shook, Jacob.....	1889	Southwest Missouri
Scruggs, J. H.....	—	
Taylor, F. A. ^a	1876.....	Southwest Missouri
Thomas, I. A.....	1883.....	Southwest Missouri
Taylor, G. L.....	1890	Southwest Missouri
Tigert, J. J. ^a	—	
Torbert, J. H.....	—	
Vandiver, L. H.....	1880.....	Southwest Missouri
Watts, H. N.*.....	1844.....	Missouri
Woodard, W. S.....	1850.....	St. Louis
Woods, C. C.....	1860.....	St. Louis
Wood, J. D.....	1871.....	Southwest Missouri
Wagoner, W. F.....	1878.....	Southwest Missouri

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Watts, T. W.....	1884.....	Southwest Missouri
Wallace, C. T.....	1885.....	Southwest Missouri
Winton, W. H.....	1885.....	Southwest Missouri
Whitmer, W. A. ^a	1888.....	Louisville
Whitmer, Nathan.....	1890.....	Southwest Missouri
Winton, G. M. ^a	—	

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B. F. Fielder, C. R. Hughes,^a J. S. Haynes, L. A. Robinson.^a

IN MEMORIAM—OUR HONORED DEAD.

“Blessed are the Dead Who Die in the Lord.”

NAME.	NATIVITY.	WHEN BORN.	DIED.	Joined Conference.	Years of Service.	WHERE BURIED.
Steven A. Blakey.....	Not known.....	1833.....	March 29, 1871.	...1850....	...12...	St. Clair County, Mo.
Newton G. Berryman....	Kentucky.....	Not known....	December, 1871.	Not known .	.....	..... Glasgow, Mo.
Nathaniel M. Talbot....	Shelby County, Ky.....	March 17, 1805.	July, 1872.....	.. 1825....	...47...	Near Arrow Rock, Mo.
John Monroe.....	Scotland.....	1803.....	October 3, 1873.	....1836....	...37..	.. Cooper County, Mo.
S. S. Colburn.....	Green County, Tenn.....	May 1, 1807....	August 26, 1875.	....1835....	...40...	..... Otterville, Mo.
John N. Reed.....	Cass County, Mo.....	Sept. 28, 1848..	June, 1875.....	....1872....	...3...	..... Bethel, Mo.
Warren Wharton.....	Gilford County, N. C....	March 5, 1820..	Dec. 12, 1875... .	....1843....	...32...	..... Salem, Mo.
George C. Knowles.....	Tennessee.....	June 1, 1830....	April 2, 1876... .	....1857....	...25...	..... Sarcoxie, Mo.
Nathan T. Shaler.....	Connecticut.....	Nov. 13, 1806... .	Feb. 5, 1879.....	....1842....	...18...	.... Cass County, Mo.
Williamson Harris.....	North Carolina.....	May 25, 1823... .	March 25, 1879 .	....1853....	...20...	..... Carthage, Mo.
Samuel S. Bryant.....	New England.....	August 4, 1809..	Dec. 28, 1879... .	....1832....	...29...	... Independence, Mo.
Thomas Wallace.....	Bath County, Virginia... .	July 26, 1807... .	April 22, 1880... .	....1828....	...40...	... Independence, Mo.
Henry W. Webster.....	Chenango County, N. Y..	April 4, 1812... .	April 20, 1880 .	....1855....	...12...	..... Neosho, Mo.
D. A. McKnight.....	Giles County, Tenn.....	Nov. 1, 1830....	Nov. 18, 1880... .	....1856....	...18...	..... Texas, Mo.
C. F. Dryden.....	Washington County, Va..	May 20, 1809... .	Nov. 21, 1882... .	....1836....	...19...	Grayson County, Tex.
J. R. Bennett.....	Virginia.....	1814.....	1883.....	....1836....	.....	.. Council Grove, Kas.
George W. Horn ..	Logan County, Ky.....	July 24, 1839... .	August 17, 1884. .	....1857....	...26...	..... Boonville, Mo.
W. M. Pitts.....	Logan County, Ky.....	1810.....	February, 1885. .	....1843....	...31...	.. Blackwater Ch., Mo.
J. B. H. Wooldridge....	Nelson County, Va.....	Feb. 21, 1825... .	June 9, 1885.....	....1845....	...35...	..... Gunn City, Mo.
William Holmes.....	Harrison County, Ky....	March 2, 1814..	1888.....	....1841....	...12...	..... Kansas City, Mo.
W. W. Jones.....	Cynthiana, Ky.....	May 23, 1822... .	Oct. 16, 1888... .	....1843....	...28...	... .. Aullville, Mo.
R. Minshall.....	Ohio.....	Jan. 10, 1813... .	July 13, 1889... .	....1847....	...27...	..... Walker, Mo.
James C. Daily.....	Green County, Tenn.....	Sept. 1, 1825... .	Dec. 3, 1889... .	....1871....	.....	.....
J. H. Todd.....	Christian County, Ky....	April 19, 1865..	October 10, 1889	....1884....	.....	.....
Josiah Godbey.....	Kentucky.....	June 30, 1817... .	April 20, 1890... .	....1841....	.....	..... Otterville, Mo.
J. T. Peery.....	Taswell County, Va.....	Feb. 18, 1817... .	June 5, 1890....	....1838....	.....	.....

SAINTED HEROINES.

DECEASED WIVES OF MEMBERS OF THE SOUTHWEST MISSOURI CONFERENCE.

"These All Died in Faith."

NAME.	NATIVITY.	WHEN BORN.	DIED.	WHERE BURIED.
Mary Frances Yocum-Blevans.....	Washington County, Ky....	May 10, 1840.....	August 8, 1872.....	.....Nevada, Missouri
Cornelia Nichols-Briggs.....	Glasgow, Mo.....	January 31, 1840...	August 14, 1874....	..Harrisonville, Missouri
Eliza H. Sutherland-Bryant.....	Franklin County, Va.....	April 21, 1815.....	January 30, 1875...	..Independence, Missouri
Emma Vroom-Poage.....	New Jersey.....	September 23, 1849	September 6, 1878..	....Huntsville, Missouri
Eveline F. Coss.....	Shenandoah County, Va....	November 28, 1846.	February 19, 1879..	....Moundville, Missouri
Nellie R. Cloudsley-Adkisson.....	Lexington, Mo.....	October 27, 1842...	October 27, 1881...	....Lexington, Missouri
Mollie E. Fuqua-Davis... ..	Keytesville, Mo.....	September 6, 1852.	September 9, 1881..	.....Kinmundy, Illinois
Lydia Ann Porter-Webster.....	Connecticut.....	May 20, 1812.....	March 20, 1881.....	.....Neosho, Missouri
Mary Vance-Vandiver	Virginia	November 14, 1834.	January 23, 1885...	.....Fayette, Missouri
Ophelia Abernathy-McClure.....	Greene County, Mo.....	August 25, 1859...	January 20, 1887...	....Lexington, Missouri
Barbara Charlton-Todd.....	Newcastle-on-Tyne, England	.....	January 11, 1888...	.....St. Joseph, Missouri
Mattie A. Myers-Horn.....	Boonville, Mo.....	.....	August 4, 1889.....	.....Boonville, Missouri
Mary A. Given.....	Bath County, Va.....	October 2, 1842...	March 16, 1890.....	..Harrisonville, Missouri

JOURNAL OF CONFERENCE.

The twentieth session of the Southwest Missouri Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was held at Clinton, Mo., commencing September 24, 1890, and closing September 29, 1890.

The session was opened with a communion service, in which the Presiding Bishop, Joseph S. Key, was assisted by W. M. Prottsman, M. M. Pugh, W. B. Palmore, W. J. Carpenter and Joseph King.

The roll of membership, clerical and lay, was called. A reference to the roll of membership, published elsewhere, will show who were present and absent.

C. C. Woods was elected secretary, Charles M. Hawkins, assistant secretary, and J. N. Huggins, statistical secretary.

VISITORS.

The following visiting brethren were introduced to the Conference: A. P. Parker, Missionary from China; Dr. Potter, Missionary Secretary; J. C. Morris, Church Extension Secretary; W. M. Hayes, Commissioner of Education; J. D. Barbee, Book Agent; L. H. Holsey, Bishop Colored Methodist Church of America; S. W. Cope and R. H. Cooper, of the Missouri Conference; William Jones, Presiding Elder Sedalia District, M. E. Church; E. E. Hoss, Editor Nashville *Advocate*; J. W. Lewis, Agent American Bible Society; Prof. Henry, of Pueblo Collegiate Institute; J. D. Hammond, President Central College.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications were received, during the session, from the following, and referred to the several Boards and Committees: Curators Central College, Central Female College, Scarritt Collegiate Institute, Morrisville College; W. M. Hayes, Commissioner of Education; J. D. Barbee, Book Agent; David Morton, Secretary Church Extension Board; Committee Editorial Management St. Louis *Christian Advocate*.

ANNUAL COMMITTEES.

The following committees were appointed for the session :

PUBLIC WORSHIP—W. J. Carpenter, W. H. Hogan.

BIBLE CAUSE—J. W. Ezell, M. L. Woods, J. T. Loyall, A. G. Moore, F. W. Bronaugh.

DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS—E. G. Frazier, J. E. Threlkeld, R. G. Flummer, T. C. Puckett, C. R. Hughes.

MEMOIRS—W. S. Woodard, J. Spencer, R. A. Holloway, J. B. McDonald, J. F. Hogan.

CONFERENCE RELATIONS—M. Adkisson, L. H. Vandiver, W. C. Bewley, R. H. Shaeffer, W. H. Winton, T. P. Cobb, W. L. Maguire.

BOOKS AND PERIODICALS—A. R. Faris, T. W. Watts, H. N. Watts, B. H. Gragg, L. R. Downing, W. K. White, J. J. Keller, J. C. Coss, J. H. Butler, C. H. Watkins, T. A. Catron, W. B. Carico, J. S. Haynes, L. Lampkin, C. T. Clark, O. F. Arnold.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were adopted during the session :

ANNUAL SERMON.

Resolved, That W. J. Carpenter be elected to preach the annual sermon to the undergraduates of this Conference at its next session.

EDITORS ADVOCATE.

Resolved, That we respectfully request the Bishop to appoint Rev. W. B. Palmore, associate editor, and Rev. J. W. Lowrance, assistant editor of the St. Louis *Christian Advocate*.

MEMORIAL SERVICES.

Resolved, That we appoint a standing committee on memoirs, and that Sunday night of each Conference session be set apart for memorial services and the sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

BISHOP J. S. KEY.

Resolved, That we have been greatly pleased and profited by the presence, association and labors of Bishop Joseph Key, and that we will be gratified to have him visit our Conference as often as he may be able to do so.

D. R. McANALLY.

WHEREAS, The enfeebled condition of the venerable and long-time trusted, and much beloved friend and defender of our Missouri Methodism. Rev. Dr. D. R. McAnally, has prevented his attendance upon the present session of our Conference; therefore,

Resolved, That we send our aged brother and father in Christ,

our warmest Christian greeting and brotherly affection, and assure him of our continued confidence, sympathy and prayers.

BISHOPS' FUND.

WHEREAS, The last General Conference has so changed the law, as to make it necessary that the money for Bishops' Fund be sent in to Dr. Barbee early in the year; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we, the members of the Southwest Missouri Conference, do hereby pledge ourselves to take the collection for Bishops' Fund in our respective churches, and forward the same to W. T. McClure, the treasurer of the Joint Board of Finance, before January 1, 1891.

COMPLIMENTARY.

Resolved, That we, the members of the Southwest Missouri Conference, have very greatly enjoyed the elegant hospitality extended to us by the citizens of Clinton, and we not only tender them our heartfelt thanks, but will remember them in our prayers.

Resolved, That we gratefully recognize the courtesy of the various churches in welcoming the members of our body to their pulpits.

Resolved, That we appreciate the kindness of the various railroads for reduced rates of fare, and to the street-car line for the free excursion tendered the Conference.

G. M. WINTON.

WHEREAS, Rev. George M. Winton, a member of the Pacific Conference, has failed in health, and, it is feared, become a hopeless invalid; and

WHEREAS, He spent the most of his long and useful life in the bounds of this Conference, being one of our pioneer preachers, laying the foundation of our Church in the beginning, and taking a prominent part in the re-organization of the same immediately after the civil war—doing work that few men, under the circumstances, could or would have done; and

WHEREAS, We have learned that it is his wish to return to his old home and friends, and spend the remnant of his days amid the scenes of his youth and early manhood, and be buried, at last, beside his own sainted dead; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Bishop presiding at the Pacific Conference be requested to transfer him back to the Southwest Missouri Conference, and that his name be placed on our superannuated list.

DISCIPLINARY QUESTIONS.

1. Who are admitted on trial? Edwin P. Ryland, Thomas B. Harris, Nathan Whitmer, Granville L. Taylor, George H. Green, James E. Harney.

2. Who remain on trial? W. A. Whitmer, R. J. Hoare, I. S. Smith, T. M. Horne, C. G. Hamilton, Perry Long, J. L. Sullens, N. R. Stone, J. R. Hargis, W. B. Morgan, A. B. Appleby, Jacob Shook, C. C. Howard, J. W. E. Rothrock.

3. Who are discontinued? R. E. Nunn, C. W. Glanville, Willis Ward.

4. Who are admitted into full connection? H. C. Allen, T. W. Alton, W. A. Byrd, W. P. Barrett, R. F. Campbell, S. P. Cayton, R. O. Eustace, J. M. Nickels, W. J. Snow, D. M. Litaker, F. Moore, S. J. Brown, A. N. Henderson.

5. Who are re-admitted? Ansel C. Briggs, Milton M. Hawkins.

6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? J. J. Tigert, George C. Rankin, J. E. Godbey, W. H. Hogan, J. H. Scruggs, S. J. Brown, T. J. Reynolds, J. J. Hill, F. Moore, J. H. Torbert, G. M. Winton, J. M. Clayton, D. C. Brown.

7. Who are the deacons of one year? E. Y. Ginn, B. V. Alton, J. H. Denny, J. A. Jared, H. C. Meredith, A. G. Moore, W. G. Pike, W. P. Barrett, C. A. Lewis, C. M. Bishop.

8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? H. C. Allen, T. W. Alton, W. A. Byrd, R. F. Campbell, S. P. Cayton, R. O. Eustace, J. M. Nickels, W. J. Snow, D. M. Litaker, A. N. Henderson.

9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Same as above.

10. What local preachers are elected deacons? W. B. Carico, F. A. Grimes, M. L. Woods, F. G. Bledso, B. R. Cooper, C. C. Howard, B. F. Fielden.

11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Same as above.

12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? C. Bruner, J. McCrory, L. B. Noland, T. C. Puckett.

13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Same as above.

14. What local preachers are elected elders? Alvin C. Fields, Samuel Lopp.

15. What local preachers are ordained elders? Same as above.
16. Who are located this year? C. B. Fontaine.
17. Who are supernumerary? J. L. D. Blevans, J. C. Shackelford, T. M. Cobb, M. Duren.
18. Who are superannuated? W. J. Brown, James McGehee, A. M. Rader, H. N. Watts, Joab Spencer, W. M. Protsman, Rush McDonald, J. M. Kelly, F. A. Taylor, W. D. Stewart, J. M. Proctor, J. P. Barnaby, W. B. McFarland, G. M. Winton.
19. What preachers have died during the past year? J. T. Peery, J. C. Daily. Josiah Godbey, J. H. Todd; N. Scarritt, lay delegate.
20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? These names were called, and their characters passed. H. S. Mobley withdrawn.
21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several churches, stations, and missions of the Conference? 29,329.
22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 454.
23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,671.
24. What is the number of Sunday-schools? 259.
25. What is the number of Sunday-school teachers? 2,275.
26. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars? 18,371.
27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$3,453.04.
28. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? (See report Joint Board of Finance.)
29. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign, \$5,-361.17; domestic, \$4,708.04.
30. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$1,-800.26.
31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value of church edifices? Number, 294 1-4; value, \$672,190.
32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value of parsonages? Number, 79; value, \$84,310.
33. What are the educational statistics? See report Board of Education.
34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Sedalia.
35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT, J. E. GODBEY, P. E.

Walnut Street and South Side, J. J. Tigert and S. J. Brown.
Centenary, George C. Rankin.
Washington Street, T. W. Watts.
Campbell Street, D. M. Litaker.
Brooklyn Avenue, J. M. Boon.
Garland Avenue, W. P. Barrett.
Melrose, C. M. Bishop.
Warfield Chapel, H. C. Meredith.
Independence Station, Charles M. Hawkins.
Westport Circuit, N. R. Stone.
Lees Summit and Union, A. B. Donaldson.
Blue Springs Circuit, J. W. Ezell.
Pink Hill Circuit, L. M. Philips.
Oak Grove Circuit, L. H. Vandiver.
Lone Jack Circuit, L. H. Davis.
Pleasant Hill Station, E. P. Ryland.
Harrisonville and Belton, J. C. Given.
Peculiar Circuit, A. C. Briggs.
Gunn City Circuit, W. G. Pike.
W. B. Palmore, associate editor *St. Louis Christian Advocate.*

LEXINGTON DISTRICT, J. KING, P. E.

Lexington Station, W. J. Carpenter; Thos. M. Cobb, Sup'y.
Wellington Circuit, C. T. Wallace.
Odessa and Marvin Chapel, T. M. Horne.
Montserrat Circuit, Frank Moore.
Columbus Circuit, V. M. Crutsinger.
Higginsville Station, L. R. Downing.
Chilhowie Circuit, C. A. Lewis.
Warrensburg Station, R. A. Holloway.
LaMonte and Dresden, Preston Philips.
Herndon Circuit, H. L. Anderson.
Sweet Springs and Blackwater, W. T. Eastwood.
Elmwood and Grand Pass, J. Y. Busby,
Longwood and High Point, W. W. Jared.
Miami and Mt. Carmel, W. B. Cobb.
Waverly Station, E. G. Frazier.
Dover Circuit, A. L. Houston.
Corder Circuit, W. J. Snow, Jno. C. Shackelford, Sup'y.
W. S. Woodard, Conference Colporter.

BOONVILLE DISTRICT, J. M. CLARK, P. E.

Boonville Station, L. P. Norfleet.
Pilot Grove Circuit, J. D. Wood.
Nelson Circuit, Thomas B. Harris.
Arrow Rock Circuit, J. C. Coss.
Marshall Station, Clinton Clenny.

Orcarville Circuit, E. Y. Ginn ; N. Whitmer.
Slater Station, T. P. Cobb.
Gilliam and Cambridge, W. F. Wagoner.
Bunceton Circuit, T. P. Hill ; J. L. D. Blevans, Sup'y.
Prairie Home Circuit, J. L. Sullens.
California Circuit, J. J. Hill.
Latham Mission, to be supplied by Samuel Lopp.
Russellville Circuit, J. N. Anthony.
Jefferson City Station, W. T. McClure.
Chamois Station, Perry Long.

CLINTON DISTRICT, R. S. HUNTER, P. E.

Clinton Station, W. H. Winton.
Montrose Circuit, N. A. Auld.
Lucas Circuit, C. A. Emmons.
Lowry City Circuit, C. Bruner.
Iconium Circuit, H. C. Allen.
Lincoln Circuit, M. Bahrenburg.
Drake Circuit, G. L. Taylor.
Calhoun Circuit, R. G. Flummer.
Windsor Station, J. McCrory.
Green Ridge Circuit, J. F. Hogan.
Camp Branch Mission, R. O. Eustace.
Sedalia Station, A. R. Faris.
Sedalia Circuit, V. J. Sevier.
Glenstead Circuit, J. W. Bond.
Versailles Station, J. S. Russell.
Garden City Circuit, J. H. Denny.

NEVADA DISTRICT, M. M. PUGH, P. E.

Nevada Station, C. H. Briggs ; M. Duren, Sup'y.
Moundville Circuit, L. W. Pearce.
Deerfield Circuit, T. W. Alton.
Hume Circuit, B. V. Alton.
Sprague Circuit, J. F. Robb.
Rich Hill Station, R. H. Shaeffer.
Sheldon Circuit, T. C. Puckett.
Walker Circuit, J. W. E. Rothrock.
Montevallo Circuit, to be supplied by J. M. Kennett.
Papinsville Circuit, C. G. Hamilton.
Butler Station, W. T. Gill.
Everett Circuit, J. F. Pike.
Eldorado Springs Station, J. M. Stultz.
Roscoe Mission, G. H. Green.
Kenoma Circuit, W. R. White.
Lamar Mission, Milton M. Hawkins.

NEOSHO DISTRICT, T. D. PAYNE, P. E.

Neosho Station, T. J. Reynolds.
Seneca Circuit, S. P. Cayton.
Southwest City Circuit, J. M. Clayton.
Pineville Circuit, J. G. L. Mitchell.
Newtonia Circuit, J. J. Kellar.
Exeter Circuit, A. N. Henderson ; and one to be supplied.
Pierce City Station, J. H. Glanville.
Monette and Sarcoxie, J. A. Jared.
Red Oak Circuit, J. R. Hargis.
Carthage Station, J. E. Carpenter.
Webb City Station, W. C. Bewley.
Cartersville Station, R. F. Campbell.
Jasper Circuit, J. A. Swift.
Mt. Vernon Circuit, J. A. Matthews.
Scarritt Collegiate Institute, C. C. Woods, President.

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT, JOHN N. HUGGINS, P. E.

Springfield, St. Paul's, J. H. Scruggs.
Springfield, Gay Street Mission, J. M. Nickels.
Springfield, Campbell Street, W. M. McAllister.
Springfield, Dale Street, to be supplied by M. L. McCluer.
Springfield Circuit, W. L. Maguire.
Marshfield Station, I. A. Thomas.
Marshfield Circuit, W. H. Son.
Henderson Circuit, J. B. Landreth.
Ozark Circuit, A. G. Moore.
Morrisville Station, W. H. Hogan.
Bolivar Circuit, J. J. Reed.
Stockton Circuit, T. J. Stringfield.
Jerico Circuit, J. H. Torbert.
Greenfield Circuit, J. L. Hagler.
Bois d'Arc Circuit, Jacob Shook.
Ash Grove Circuit, W. B. Morgan.
Willard Circuit, R. J. Nelson.
Morrisville College, J. B. Ellis, President.
J. W. Lowrance, assistant editor St. Louis *Christian Advocate*.

LEBANON DISTRICT, MILTON ADKISSON, P. E.

Lebanon Circuit, W. F. Briggs.
Richland Circuit, J. W. Perry.
Iberia Mission, to be supplied by J. T. Turner.
Waynesville Circuit, R. J. Hoare.
Vienna Circuit, C. C. Howard.
Buffalo Circuit, N. M. Dowdy.
Cross Timbers Circuit, B. H. Gragg.
Urbana Circuit, W. A. Whitmer.

Humansville Circuit, I. S. Smith.
Mansfield Circuit, W. A. Byrd.
Mountain Grove and Cabool, A. B. Appleby.
Plato Circuit, J. E. Harney.

TRANSFERRED.

L. B. Noland to Missouri Conference.
C. K. Shilling to Missouri Conference.
J. N. Patterson to Western Conference.
J. P. Callaway to Northwest Texas Conference.
J. A. Greening to West Texas Conference.
H. S. Shangle to Columbia Conference.
Frank A. Grimes to Missouri Conference.
J. W. Purcell to Western Conference.
Boon Keeton to Little Rock Conference.
D. C. Browne to Holston Conference.
J. T. Loyall to Missouri Conference.



REPORTS.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

CENTRAL COLLEGE.

We have had before us the catalogue of Central College; also, statements from Dr. Hammond, the president. From these sources of information we learn the following facts concerning our central institution of learning:

The catalogue shows an enrollment of 172 students the past year. While it is gratifying to the Board to know of this increased patronage, yet we feel that this showing is by no means what it ought to be, especially, when we remember that there are nearly one hundred thousand Methodists of our own denomination in the state.

The money value placed on the property of the College is \$80,000, with an endowment of \$110,000, and a prospect of having in hand, soon, \$10,000 additional by the will of Judge Holmes, deceased.

We are gratified to learn that Dr. Hammond has met with a measure of success in raising funds for the erection of the new buildings. This project for the erection of new and commodious buildings, in addition to those already upon the grounds, is a matter of much importance and ought to elicit the deep concern of every lover of liberal education among us; and we very much hope that those having this matter in hand, will, in the near future, see their way clear to begin the work of building. The prestige and influence of our schools and colleges depend largely upon the fact that we have building, and facilities that compare favorably with other institutions of like grade.

We are glad further to know that the present term has opened with such good prospects, and that the students are of a more advanced grade, and that among them there are more than twenty young men preparing for the ministry of the Church.

We concur with the Missouri and St. Louis Conferences, and the Board of Curators, in their request for a financial agent; also, that a visiting committee be appointed.

We most heartily commend Central College to the confidence and patronage of our people.

J. B. ELLIS, for Board.

CENTRAL FEMALE COLLEGE.

Your committee does not realize any need of entering upon any detailed statement of the history of this excellent institution. The good fruits which have been borne are her highest commendation; and we are happy to say that the present surroundings and prospects are as hopeful and promising as those of the brightest days of the past.

The transfer of the presidency from Professor Kerdolff to Professor A. A. Jones, was not attended with any detrimental effects. All of the then existing interests of the College have been fully sustained under the present administration. The cordial relations existing between the Curators and faculty present a condition much to be desired. The selections made by the president seem to give entire satisfaction.

Additions have been made to the furniture. The building has been repaired. The grounds have received additional adornment, and the consummation of an earnest desire is being realized in the completion of the fourth story of the main building.

President Jones has leased the College grounds, with all they contain, for the period of three years, with the privilege of extending the time, if agreeable, with the proper authorities. He has also let a \$1,200 contract to Kansas City plumbers to arrange and construct a complete system of water-works, by which to convey warm water to all parts of the building, bath-rooms, and water-closets, with an excellent system of sewerage.

In compliance with the wishes of the Curators, we recommend the appointment of J. O. Conner, W. B. Palmore, and W. B. McFarland, to fill vacancies in the Board; said vacancies occurring by limitation of time.

We also recommend that Bishop Key be requested to appoint a visiting committee.

M. ADKISSON, for Board.

SCARRITT COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE.

The Board of Education has had before it the report of Curators of Scarritt Collegiate Institute. We do greatly rejoice at the growing popularity and success of this institution, which we regard so necessary to Southern Methodism in the great Southwest. We believe it has a work to do absolutely essential to the proper care and culture of the youth of our Church and the communities in which we may have influence, and in no wise conflicting with any other institution in our connection.

We learn from the report of Curators, that the school opened with 120 pupils, and has increased to 160, with a fair prospect of reaching 200 and more. The embarrassment, incident to this increase, for want of room, and greater facilities for the proper instruction of these pupils, appeals loudly to the generosity and

pride of our great Church, and we earnestly commend the need to the consideration of the Conference, and recommend some action by which relief may be obtained, and provision made for the immediate need of the school.

We recommend the appointment of Rev. C. C. Woods, D.D., as president and financial agent of this Institute; and of W. J. Catron and W. G. Wills, as Curators, to fill vacancies occasioned by the death of Dr. Searritt, and the resignation of J. M. Sherwood, Esq.; also, the appointment of a visiting committee, who will visit and report to the Conference their observations.

R. H. SHAEFFER, for Board.

MORRISVILLE COLLEGE.

The Board of Education has had before it the report of the Board of Curators of Morrisville College, and are happy to report the continued prosperity of this excellent school. The past year has been the most prosperous in its history. The year just beginning promises to be more successful than the past one. The difficulties in the way of the transfer of their property to the Southwest Missouri Annual Conference, at its last session, having been removed; and the deed transferring it to this Conference, together with the charter, having been examined by us, and found to be in proper shape, we recommend the acceptance of the property, as heretofore agreed upon; and that the following Board of Curators be elected by this Conference: For one year: T. W. Cassel, J. L. Taylor, J. A. Mitchell, W. H. Kelly, R. A. Holloway. For two years: Wm. Turner, W. H. Pipkin, B. W. Appleby, J. E. Ryland, M. Adkisson. For three years: J. W. Lovelace, B. W. Mitchell, R. Skeen, Witten McDonald, R. H. Shaeffer.

We recommend that the Bishop re-appoint Rev. J. B. Ellis president of this school, as requested by the Board of Curators. In conclusion, we wish to give our hearty and unqualified endorsement of the management of this school, and to express the gratification we feel for the moral and religious influences brought to bear upon the minds and thoughts of the students, and the great work being done by this school for the Church.

W. H. PIRKIN, for Board.

MINISTERIAL AID SOCIETY.

We recognize the importance of aiding young men who are preparing for the ministry, and as we have no regular fund for this purpose, we suggest that this Conference now form a society, according to the following articles:

ARTICLE 1. This society shall be known as the "Ministerial Aid Society" of the Southwest Missouri Conference.

ART. 2. The object of this society shall be to assist young men attending our own schools in the state who are preparing for active ministry and pastorate of our Church.

ART. 3. The business of the society shall be vested in a committee of directors, five in number, who shall hold their offices for four years, and submit an itemized report to the Conference each year.

ART. 4. The officers of this society shall be a chairman, secretary and treasurer. Two members of the society shall be laymen.

ART. 5. Any vacancies occurring in the society may be filled in the interim of the Conference, by the remaining members of the same, which appointment shall be subject to the approval of the Conference.

ART. 6. Any person paying into the treasury of this society the sum of \$5, shall be a member for one year; and any person paying \$50, shall be a life-member; and any person paying \$1, shall be an honorary member.

ART. 7. Any and all parties aided by this society must be recommended by the preacher in charge of circuit or station from which he came, and the president of the school where he is to receive instruction.

ART. 8. All aid given by this society shall be either by loan or donation, as may be agreed upon by the committee of directors.

We recommend the following named brethren to constitute this society: Ministers—Revs. J. E. Godbey, C. M. Hawkins and J. M. Boon. Laymen—Lon V. Stephens and G. M. Jones.

EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS.

NAME OF INSTITUTE.	Grade.	Teachers..	Students..	Endowment.	Value of Property.
Scarritt Collegiate Institute.....	College	12	203	None	\$25,000
Morrisville College.....	College	7	165	None	10,000
Central Female College.....	College	14	156	None	50,000
Central College.....	College	8	172	\$110,000	80,000
Total.....		41	696	\$110,000	\$165,000

JOINT BOARD OF FINANCE.

Your Board respectfully asks the Conference to make the following assessments upon districts for Bishop's Fund, for the ensuing Conference year:

Kansas City District.....	\$256
Lexington District.....	224
Boonville District.....	224
Springfield District.....	90
Neosho District.....	90
Clinton District.....	96
Nevada District.....	90
Lebanon District.....	50

\$1,120

We also ask the following assessments for Paine Institute:

Kansas City District.....	\$70
Lexington District.....	60
Boonville District.....	60
Springfield District.....	25
Neosho District.....	25
Clinton District.....	25
Nevada District.....	25
Lebanon District.....	10

\$300

Your committee beg leave to report that we have collected for Bishop's Fund, from Districts, \$991.70. For Conference claimants:

From Districts.....	\$3,453 04
From Publishing House.....	377 40
From Colvin Fund.....	11 25
From Methodist Benevolent Association....	176 05
Balance on hand.....	207 61
Total.....	\$4,225 35
Bishop's.....	991 70

\$5,216 05

We ask the privilege of distributing to the Conference claimants, \$4,100, as follows:

W. J. Brown.....	\$200	Miss Minnie McKnight.....	50
J. P. Barnaby.....	175	Mrs. R. Minshall.....	100
Mary W. Bennett.....	100	Mrs. Kate Peery.....	225
Mrs. S. S. Colburn.....	150	J. M. Proctor.....	225
Mrs. R. C. Dryden.....	100	W. D. Stewart.....	150
Mrs. S. W. Daily.....	225	Joab Spencer.....	200
Mrs. Mary Greene.....	200	F. A. Taylor.....	75
Mrs. Jane H. Glanville..	25	Mrs. Susan Talbot.....	225
Mrs. Lucretia Harris.....	150	Mrs. S. H. Wooldridge.....	200
Horn—children.....	100	H. N. Watts.....	275
Mrs. Cynthia Headlee.....	50	Mrs. Henrietta Wallace..	50
Mrs. E. F. James.....	25	W. B. McFarland.....	200
Mrs. M. E. Knowles.....	100	W. M. Protsman.....	200
J. M. Kelly.....	100		
James McGehee.....	225		

\$4,100

Leaving balance in treasury of \$125.35, to be paid out in cases of necessity, on order of the chairman of the Joint Board.

We feel that the sincere thanks of this Conference are due and are hereby tendered to the bank of Salmon & Salmon for courtesy to the treasurer, and for giving us exchange free.

W. T. McCLURE, Secretary.

BIBLE CAUSE.

Your committee on the Bible Cause respectfully submit the following report:

The American Bible Society has been, for more than seventy years, one of the great evangelizing agencies of the world. It has poured forth a continuous stream of Bibles into our own and other nations. Just completing its fourth re-supply, it has furnished, through its agencies, 478,804 destitute families, and 299,058 destitute individuals with the Holy Bible.

Even a greater work is now undertaken—a Bible for every child in the Sunday Schools who can read. Supplying Sunday Schools, where the children are poor, with Bibles at one-half the cost of publishing. This work commends itself to every Christian man and woman. It can not be successfully done without the co-operation of Pastors and Sunday School Superintendents. Will we, brethren, do our part in this great work? Will the Pastors of the great Southwest Missouri Conference assist in sending a copy of the Bible to every child?

This Society has expended in its work in this state, in the fourteen years just passed, \$75,000, and has received in return less than \$5,000. We have been missionary ground long enough—we ought to become self-supporting. We therefore recommend and urge that each pastor in this Conference take a collection in each congregation, during the month of December, for the American Bible Society, and remit to Dr. J. W. Lewis.

The following are the amounts reported as collected, this year, for the Bible Cause, by Districts:

Kansas City	\$39 00
Boonville.....	38 00
Springfield.....	18 50
Neosho	15 25
Nevada	7 21
Clinton.....	6 00
Lexington, no report .....	.....
Lebanon, no report.....	.....
Total.....	\$123 96

J. W. EZELL, Chairman.

BOARD OF MISSIONS.

The Board of Missions respectfully state that we have received a communication from Dr. I. G. John, Secretary of the Parent Board, which has given us satisfactory information concerning the plans of the General Board, and the progress of the work under its charge. The results in all their fields of operation are very gratifying indeed, calling for devout thankfulness to God, and more liberal contributions on the part of the Church for still greater extension of the work.

In his communication to our Conference, Dr. I. G. John, Corresponding Secretary of the Parent Board of Missions, says: "During the past four years our debt of over \$100,000 has been reduced to about \$14,000; and our collections increased from \$161,495.88 to \$276,122.24. Our work has been greatly enlarged, and prospered in every mission field. In view of the evident fact that God is blessing our foreign missions, our late General Conference declared that we must 'go forward in the work God has evidently given us to do, or suffer irreparable loss.' It recommended the vigorous re-enforcement of every mission, and a decided increase of the annual assessments. In response to these recommendations the Board enlarged its appropriations to about \$320,000, and its assessments on the Conferences to \$350,000. It now rests with the Church to sustain these advance movements."

The General Conference also made some changes in the Book of Discipline, which were designed to increase the efficiency of our missionary operations.

After calling our attention to the importance of a strict observance of the Disciplinary regulations in regard to anniversary meetings, collections, etc., the Secretary continues: "The Constitution now provides that the revenue of the General Board shall be derived not only from the congregation but the Sunday School. If the 800,000 Sunday School children of our Church can be entered into our mission work, we will soon be able to double our missionary force. We desire again to urge the importance of early collections. This will greatly insure full collections. Again, early collections will enable the Board to meet its current expenses without going into bank. The interest this will save will sustain two new missionaries in the field."

On the recommendations of the Secretary, our Board fully agree and promise our most earnest efforts to carry them out.

The order for the delivery of a sermon on the cause of missions in the several Presiding Elders' Districts, was faithfully executed, and much good accomplished. This order will be observed at the District Conferences the ensuing year.

The whole amount of assessments upon the Church for Foreign Missions the present year is \$350,000. Of this sum, the assessment falling upon the Southwest Missouri Conference is \$10,000. Last year it was \$6,000. This is an increase in the assessment of *forty-seven per cent!* Whilst this is the per cent of increase upon

our Conference, the per cent of increase on all other Annual Conferences is about *sixteen per cent*.

This is an error arising from a want of proper information on the part of the Parent Board, which need not be explained here. We must do the best we can to raise the entire amount. This sum has been assessed upon the several Districts, as follows:

	Foreign.	Domestic.
Kansas City District.....	\$2,500	\$1,250
Lexington District.....	1,692	846
Boonville District.....	1,692	846
Clinton District.....	955	478
Nevada District.....	955	478
Springfield District.....	1,029	515
Neosho District.....	882	441
Lebanon District.....	295	148

Appropriations for Domestic Missions:

Kansas City District—Campbell Street.....	\$300	
South Side.....	250	
Garland Avenue.....	250	
		\$800
Boonville District—Latham.....	150	
		150
Clinton District—District.....	200	
Lowry City.....	150	
Camp Branch.....	100	
		450
Nevada District—District.....	150	
Eldorado Springs.....	200	
Butler.....	150	
Roscoe.....	50	
Kenoma.....	50	
Lamar.....	400	
		1,000
Neosho District—District.....	175	
Monette and Sarcoxie.....	150	
Pierce City.....	100	
Southwest City.....	100	
Pineville.....	100	
Seneca.....	50	
		675
Springfield District—Campbell Street.....	250	
Guy Street.....	300	
		550
Lebanon District—District.....	575	
Buffalo.....	200	
Humansville.....	100	
		875
		\$4,500

W. M. PROTTSMAN, President.

SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD.

During the past year, Children's Day was observed in sixty pastoral charges, and \$383.08 collected. The Board has assisted, during the past year, thirty-six schools, at an expense of \$304.21. From nearly all the schools helped, we have received the most gratifying reports.

The Sunday School literature has not been referred to us this year, but we learn that important improvements in some of the departments are to be made. This, we are very glad to know, and hope the improvement will not long be delayed.

We would again urge the observance of one Sunday in each month in all our Sunday Schools as Missionary Sunday, and that a collection be taken on that day for foreign missions.

All applications for aid should be sent to Rev. J. Spencer, Warrensburg, Missouri.

We ask the Conference to allow the Board to employ a Sunday School Agent for a part of the year; provided that in their judgment, it be thought best, and also, that a suitable man can be procured.

Appropriations made during the past year:

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

Kansas City Mission School..	\$6 60		Blue Springs.....	\$2 50
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Total.....	\$9 10
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BOONVILLE DISTRICT.

Russellville Circuit.....	4 50
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SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

Station.....	\$5 00		Willard	\$13 25
Union Grove.....	13 80		Henderson.....	5 00
Bois d'Arc.....	9 55	|	Jerico	7 10
2 schools, through Rev. Pearce	21 00	|	Greenfield.....	4 65
Marshfield Circuit, 3 schools..	26 87	|		
Total.....				\$106 22

NEOSHO DISTRICT.

Pineville, two schools.....	\$13 88		Monette	\$10 50
Carterville, two schools.....	13 64		Georgeville	3 05

Total.....	\$41 07
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CLINTON DISTRICT.

Osceola.....	\$10 28		Lincoln Circuit.....	\$6 07
Deepwater.....	4 29			

Total.....	\$20 64
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NEVADA DISTRICT.

Eldorado Springs.....	\$15 00		Sheldon.....	\$12 92
Moundville Circuit, 3 schools	21 95		Exeter	6 11

Total.....	\$55 98
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LEBANON DISTRICT.

Lebanon Circuit.....	\$20 99		Plato	\$4 64
Vienna	20 00		Buffalo Circuit.....	8 00
Mansfield	13 42			

Total.....	\$67 05
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Total appropriations.....	304 21
Postage, printing and other expenses.....	16 80
Paid for printing minutes.....	5 00
Sent to Parent Board.....	37 85

Total expenditures.....\$363 86

RECAPITULATION.

On hand from last year.....	\$385 12
Collected this year.....8.....	383 08

Total.....	\$768 20
Total expended this year.....	363 86

Balance on hand.....\$404 34

For receipts from pastoral charges, see statistical tables.

J. SPENCER, Chairman.

CHURCH EXTENSION.

The following applications to the Parent Board, for aid, were endorsed in the following order: Mountain Grove Church, Lebanon District, was recommended for donation of \$500; which, in order of merit, is commended as No. 1. Nelson Church, Boonville District, was recommended for donation of \$500, and commended, in order of merit, as No. 2. Dry Valley Church, Neosho District, asks for donation of \$250; which was commended and marked in order of merit, as No. 3.

The following appropriations were made by our Home Board:

Kenoma Church, Nevada District.....	\$100
Humansville, Lebanon District.....	175
Noal Church, Neosho District.....	50
Corinth Church, Kansas City District.....	75
Altoona Church, Kansas City District.....	50
Deerfield Church, Nevada District.....	100
Richland Church, Lebanon District.....	50
Connor's Chapel, Springfield District.....	75
Fairfield Church, Clinton District.....	100
Nelson Church, Boonville District.....	50
Buffalo Church, Lebanon District.....	50
Hickory Chapel, Clinton District.....	50
Russelville Parsonage, Boonville District.....	6

The following assessments were made for 1890-91:

Kansas City District.....	\$500
Lexington District.....	325
Boonville District.....	325
Clinton District.....	250
Nevada District.....	275
Neosho District.....	200
Springfield District.....	275
Lebanon District.....	100

The Rev. L. H. Davis was appointed to collect subscriptions made at Nevada, and apply same on Nelson Church, Boonville District.

W. B. PALMORE, Chairman.

COMMITTEE ST. LOUIS "ADVOCATE."

The committee to whom the interest of the St. Louis *Christian Advocate* was referred, beg to report as follows:

That we, as heretofore, recognize the *Advocate* as our Conference organ, and that we recommend it to our people as one of the best religious weeklies published in the interest of our Church. That we will endeavor to induce every family in our charges to take it, believing that it is, and will continue to be, a great help to us in our pastoral and ministerial work. The chief editor, Rev. D. R. McAnally, D.D., and his associate, Rev. W. B. Palmore, and his assistant, Rev. J. W. Lowrance, are all men of piety and ability. We recommend them to the confidence, sympathy and prayers of all our people.

In view of the fact that our legal advisers express the opinion that our Conference has no interest in the one-third interest in the *Advocate* belonging to Logan D. Dameron, which he, on certain conditions, has deeded to the patronizing Conferences, our Conference having not complied with the conditions, we recommend that no action be taken in relation to the matter.

Bros. Lowrance and Palmore, the present owners and managers of the paper, having agreed to carry out in good faith the agreement entered into between this Conference and Logan D. Dameron, in relation to the editorial management of the *Advocate*, we recommend that W. B. McFarland and Joseph King be continued on the committee of editorial management.

THOS. M. COBB.

W. H. PIPKIN.

J. C. GIVEN.

M. M. PUGH.

J. F. ROBB.

COMMITTEE DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS.

On carefully examining the records submitted to us, we found the Kansas City District record, the Nevada District record, and the Springfield District record in good condition, and the minutes carefully and well recorded.

The Neosho District Conference record is fairly well kept, but the minutes are not signed by the president, and the term, "South," is left off of the name of our Church.

The Lebanon District Conference record was not in the hands of the committee.

The Clinton District Conference record does not contain a roll of the members of the District Conference; neither does it show where it was held, nor of what church. It contains no marginal references or index, and neither does it show that the minutes of any session were read or approved.

The Boonville District record contains no roll of members of the District Conference, neither does it show that it is of the M. E. Church, South, as the word "South" is left out. We also infer from the minutes, that it is still in session, as we can't find that they ever adjourned, and the minutes are not signed.

The Lexington District Conference District record is also in good condition and well kept.

E. G. FRAZIER, Chairman.

BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

The condition of our Publishing House in Nashville, as shown by the Agent, is highly gratifying to your committee. The total business of this House this year was \$384,040.42, an increase over last year of \$83,306.22. Out of the earnings of the House, \$17,500 have been appropriated to the benefit of Conference claimants. The style and cheapness of our publications should procure the complete patronage of our people. The Publishing House continues under successful management, and is multiplying means and agencies for good.

The *Christian Advocate* is committed to the care of Doctors E. E. Hoss, editor, and E. M. Bounds, assistant editor. The *Advocate* is the property and organ of the whole Church and should have the hundreds and thousands subscribers prayed for by the Agent.

The *Quarterly Review* is ably edited and should have a much larger circulation than it has. Shall we not sustain it and give it the subscription it so well deserves?

A. R. FARIS, Chairman.

COMMITTEE ON MEMOIRS.

JOHN THOMPSON PEERY.

John Thompson Peery was born in Taswell county, Virginia, February 18, 1817, and was "born again" and joined the Methodist Church, in the same county, in 1834. In 1835, he moved, with his parents, George and Jane Peery, to Grundy county, Missouri, settling near where Auburn now is. Here he was licensed to preach by Andrew Monroe, March 25, 1837. Eighteen months were then given to preparation for his life-work, in reading, preaching and teaching. He was admitted on trial by the Missouri Conference, September, 1838, and sent as junior preacher to Cape Girardeau Circuit. His next appointment was Meramac Circuit.

In 1840 he was ordained deacon, and appointed to Nodaway Circuit; 1841, Weston; 1842 ordained elder, and sent to Plattsburg; 1845, Indian Mission District, three years; 1846, Tahlequah Mission, two years; 1848, Wyandotte Mission; 1849, Manual Labor School; 1850, transferred to St. Louis Conference and appointed to Lexington District, which he served three years. In 1853 he took a superannuated relation, in which he was continued three years. 1856, Independence; Kansas City first appears on the minutes in 1857, and Bro. Peery was the pastor this and the following year. 1859, superannuated again. 1860, transferred to Kansas Conference and stationed at Leavenworth. The years following he did what he could. In 1864 he is again in the St. Louis Conference in a superannuated relation, which was continued four years. In 1868 he was appointed to Kansas City Circuit, which he served four years. 1872, Lee's Summit Circuit; 1873, Nevada District, three years; 1876, transferred to Northwest Texas Conference; 1878, back to Southwest Missouri Conference, and stationed at Versailles; 1879, Mt. Carmel and Miami, two years; 1881, Windsor Station; 1882, superannuated, in which relation he was continued till June 5, 1890, when his work and suffering were completed, and he was translated to "the Church of the First Born, above."

Brother Peery was twice married, first to the widow of Rev. Wm. Johnson, *nee* Mary Chick, in 1844; the marriage being the first that ever occurred in the territory of Kansas City. November 22, 1872, Sister Peery finished her work and entered into rest. His second marriage was to Miss Kate Thornton, April 13, 1876, whom, with three children, he has left to our care. Bro. Peery was twice a member of the General Conference—those of 1858 and 1866—and was elected president of his Conference (Southwest Missouri) at Neosho in 1875.

"Is there anything against J. T. Peery?" was asked fifty-one times in the Annual Conference, and fifty-one times the response was, "Nothing." He was one of the truest, purest and best of men, a good preacher and a safe counselor. He was afflicted with heart disease, and for several years before his death,

was a great sufferer. He reluctantly yielded to the request of his Conference and preached a Semi-Centennial sermon at the session in Nevada, in 1888. This, his last sermon, was published.

He had ample time to "set his house in order," which he carefully and prayerfully did; so when the final summons came, he was ready and entered into the joy of his Lord.

He was the senior member of our Conference, and has left us the legacy of a good name, the reward of a well spent life.

W. S. WOODARD.

NATHAN SCARRITT.

Nathan Searritt was born April 14, 1821, in Edwardsville, Illinois. He was the seventh of twelve children, and worked on his father's farm until he was sixteen years of age. At that time he entered McKendree College, Lebanon, Illinois. During his first year at college, he paid a considerable portion of the expenses by working between study hours. He was graduated from this institution in 1842. In 1845 he moved to Fayette, Missouri, where he joined with Prof. William T. Lucky in establishing a high-school, out of which have grown Central College and Howard Female College. In 1846 he was licensed to preach, and joined the Missouri Conference, but for two years his appointment was to Howard High School.

In 1848 he was placed in charge of the classical department Shawnee Manual Labor School, where he remained for three years. On the twenty-ninth of April, 1850, he was married to Miss M. M. Chick, who became the mother of nine children, six of whom are still living. She died July 29, 1873. In the fall of 1851 he was appointed missionary to the Shawnee, Delaware and Wyandotte Indians. During this year the health of Rev. F. A. Morris, who was stationed at Lexington, Mo., failed, and Brother Searritt was placed in charge of that work the balance of the year. In 1852 he was appointed to Kansas City and Westport. In 1853 he was appointed to Kansas City, being the first pastor of the Fifth Street Church. In 1854-55 he was Principal of the Westport High School. Then he was transferred by Bishop Early, to Kansas Mission Conference and appointed Presiding Elder of Kickapoo District. While on this District he was elected Professor and President *pro tem* of Central College. In 1858-59 he was appointed to the Shawnee reserve, and for the next two years he was Presiding Elder of the Leecompton District. In October, 1854, he was married to Mrs. Ruth E. Searritt, the widow of his brother, Isaac. In 1876 he located. After his location he served, as supply, the Washington Street (1880), the Lydia Avenue (1881), the Campbell Street (1883), and the Melrose Churches (1888-89), all in Kansas City, Mo. He was several times a member of the General Conference. In 1858 he represented the Kansas Mission Conference, and in 1886 and 1890, he represented the Southwest Missouri Conference. While attend-

ing the last General Conference, at St. Louis, Mo., he was taken sick and compelled to return home, where, after two days, he died in *great peace*.

Brother Scarritt was a man of deep piety, of more than ordinary ability. A strong and forcible preacher, a wise and safe counselor, a clear-headed and far-sighted man of business. He was liberal, and his large gifts were wisely bestowed. The Church has sustained a great loss in his departure. We believe that a more extended biography of our sainted brother would serve a good purpose in the Sunday School, and therefore recommend that Bishop Hendrix be requested to prepare a suitable biography of Rev. N. Scarritt, in book form, suitable for the Sunday School library, and that he be requested to incorporate such incidents and historical narratives as he may be able to obtain of his missionary labors among the several Indian tribes, contiguous to this Conference, and also, a short history of the Kansas Conference, of which he was for several years a member.

R. A. HOLLOWAY.

JAMES C. DAILY.

James C. Daily was born in Green county, Tennessee, September 1, 1825. In September, 1842, when seventeen years old, under the ministry of John S. Crisman, at Staley's Creek campground, in Virginia, he was converted and joined the M. E. Church. In the same state he was licensed to exhort in 1846, and licensed to preach in Kentucky, in 1854.

In 1871, at Van Buren, he was admitted on trial in the Arkansas Conference and sent to Bentonville Circuit, which he served two years. He was received into full connection in the Conference in 1873, and at the same session located. In 1875 he was re-admitted into the Indian Mission Conference and appointed to Fort Gibson and Tallequah, which he had supplied the year before. In 1876 he located again, moved to Sedalia, Missouri, and was employed by the Presiding Elder, Milton Adkisson, to supply Warrensburg Station. He was re-admitted into the Southwest Missouri Conference in 1877, and sent to Chapel Hill Circuit. 1878, Pleasant Hill; 1879, Harrisonville, two years; 1881, Miami and Mt. Carmel, two years; 1885, Cambridge; 1884, Montrose; 1885, Lebanon District, two years; 1887, Windsor Station; 1888, superannuated and moved to Denison, Texas, where he died, December 3, 1889.

Bro. Daily, though a local preacher the most of his life, was a practical itinerant. Born in Tennessee, converted in Virginia, licensed to preach in Kentucky, joined the Conference in Arkansas, traveled in Indian Territory and Missouri, and died in Texas.

A coincident worthy of note is, all of these godly men—Peery, Godbey and Daily — finished their effective labors in Windsor Station. Two of them were seventy-three and the other sixty-four years, aggregating two hundred and ten years. The added years of their ministry make one hundred and thirty-five.

W. S. WOODARD.

JOSIAH GODBEY.

Rev. Josiah Godbey was born June 30, 1817, and died April 20, 1890. Between the above dates was lived a quiet, contented, industrious, happy, useful, successful life of seventy-three years, less one month and ten days.

Bro. Godbey was converted and joined the M. E. Church, September 7, 1833, licensed to exhort in 1840, and to preach March, 1841. He joined the Kentucky Conference in October of the same year, was ordained deacon in 1843, and elder in 1845. He traveled eight years in Kentucky, serving the following charges: Albany, Maxville, Burkville, Summerset and Perryville Circuits; one year each on the first and second, and two years each on the other three. He was superannuated in 1846, and on the supernumerary list in 1847-48. In 1852 he located, moved to Missouri, and bought him a home in Cooper county. He served as a supply that year on Boonville Station. In 1853, re-entered the itinerant ranks in the St. Louis Conference, since which he has served the following charges: Bell Air, nine years; Georgetown, four; Sedalia, four; Longwood, two; and Arrow Rock, Marshall and Windsor, one each. He was presiding elder of the Boonville District in 1864-65.

Bro. Godbey was married to Miss Senah Kelley, October 27, 1836, who died in 1888. He married a second time in 1889. Four of his sons and one son-in-law have been itinerant preachers in Missouri. One, Rev. J. E. Godbey, D.D., is now a member of this Conference, and another, Rev. S. M. Godbey, A.M., is a member of the Pacific Conference, editor of the *Pacific Methodist*, and a professor in Pacific College. Bro. Godbey preached the gospel forty-nine years and one month. For several years he has been on the superannuated list, but preached frequently. His last message was delivered in Otterville, where he lived, and where he had preached so often, April 13, 1890. On the next Sabbath he entered into rest.

W. S. WOODARD.

J. H. TODD.

Rev. J. H. Todd was born in Christian county, Kentucky, April 19, 1865. He was converted at Shady Grove, Kentucky, at the age of twelve or thirteen years. He was educated at Greenville College for Young Men. He was licensed to preach by the Quarterly Conference of Shady Grove Circuit, Princeton District, Louisville Conference, January 6, 1883.

In the summer of 1884, he came out west and served as junior preacher with Rev. J. W. Faubion on the Howard City Circuit, Western Conference, until the meeting of the Annual Conference at Council Grove, Kansas, Bishop Parker presiding. At this Conference he was admitted on trial into the traveling connection and appointed to the Holton Circuit. At the Conference of 1885, he was appointed to Nebraska City Station. In 1886 he was trans-

ferred to the Missouri Conference and stationed at Centenary Church in St. Joseph, Missouri. On the thirtieth of December of this year he was married to Mrs. B. Thompson, who died in less than a year afterward. In 1887, Bro. Todd was transferred by Bishop Hendrix to this Conference, and stationed at Carthage, where he remained for two years. On the fourth of April, 1889, he was married to Miss Fannie Catron.

On the twenty-fourth of August he was taken with typhoid fever, and was still very sick when Conference met in Marshall, on the twenty-eighth of September. Bishop Granbery appointed him to Pierce City Station, but his work was done, and on the tenth of October, the Master called him from labor to reward.

Bro. Todd was a man of great promise—a hard student, a good preacher, and in every way a man of more than ordinary ability. In the midst of a promising and useful life the summons came and he entered into rest.

Life's labor done, as sinks the clay,
Light from its load the spirit flies;
While heaven and earth combine to say—
How blest the righteous when he dies!

R. A. HOLLOWAY.



CONSTITUTIONS.

CONSTITUTION OF BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION.

ARTICLE 1. This organization shall be known as the Board of Church Extension of the Southwest Missouri Annual Conference; auxiliary to the Parent Board of Church Extension of the M. E. Church, South.

ART. 2. The members of this Board shall be a President, Vice-President, Secretary, and Treasurer, and eight managers, to be elected quadrennially by the Annual Conference. The officers shall be elected by the Board. The President, Secretary, and Treasurer shall constitute an Executive Committee.

ART. 3. The funds of the Board shall be derived from collections taken up in every congregation annually; and of the funds thus collected, or in any other way coming into the treasury of this Board, fifty per cent shall be turned over to the General Board, but devisers may give special directions to their contributions.

ART. 4. This Board shall hold a regular meeting on the first day of Conference, at 2:30 p. m., at each session of the Annual Conference, to receive reports and communications, make arrangements for anniversary exercises, and transact all other business pertaining to it; which shall be done under the following order:—

1. Are there any vacancies in this Board?
2. Are there any communications?
3. Are there any reports?
4. What arrangements shall be made for the anniversary exercises?
5. How is the amount assessed upon the Annual Conference apportioned among the Presiding Elders' Districts?
6. What instructions are given to the District Stewards?

ART. 5. All applications for aid shall be set forth—

1. A description of the church building for which aid is asked.
2. The estimated and probable cost when completed.
3. The amount of cash and reliable subscription now on hand.
4. The nature of the title, its validity, whether held in trust for the M. E. Church, South.
5. The names of the Board of Trustees.
6. The number of Church members, Sunday School children, and population of the place, if within a town or city.
7. Any additional facts that may be required by the Board of Executive Committee.

ART. 6. The duties of the officers shall be such as usually appertain to such officers in similar bodies.

In no case shall the Treasurer pay money to aid any church building until ordered so to do by the Executive Committee; and in no case shall the Executive Committee make an order for such payment until furnished with a written certificate from the recorder of deeds for the county in which the building is being erected, showing that a warranty deed, conveying the title of the church property in fee-simple to the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, *is on record*; and also a written certificate from the trustees of such church building, assuring the Executive Committee that the amount asked for from this Board will open the house for use free of debt.

ART. 7. The Board shall have authority, at any regular meeting, to determine what amount of money may be devoted to each applicant; *provided* no money shall be appropriated for other purposes than the purchase of lots and erection of churches; and provided further, that the Board shall not involve itself in debt.

ART. 8. The Executive Committee shall execute all orders of the Board; and in the interim of the regular meetings of the Board, may receive applications for aid, and determine the same under the rules governing the Board.

The Secretary shall record in a book all the proceedings of the Board; and shall have his record book present at each meeting of the Board and Executive Committee.

ART. 9. A majority of the Board shall constitute a quorum to do business.

Vacancies shall be filled by nomination by the Board and election by the Conference.

ART. 10. The President shall keep in his office plans of churches, and give information on all subjects pertaining to church buildings, when sought.

The Secretary shall be specially charged with the care of the annual collections, and shall give information on Church Extension to the preachers by circular, and such other means as he may deem proper.

ART. 11. The Constitution may be altered or amended at any regular meeting by a two-thirds vote of the members present and voting.

CONSTITUTION OF THE BOARD OF MISSIONS.

ARTICLE 1. This Board shall be known as the Board of Missions of the Southwest Missouri Conference, and shall be of force and operation during the present General Conference quadrennial.

ART. 2. The Board shall be composed of one minister and one layman from each Presiding Elder's District; four of whom shall fill the offices of President, Vice-President, Secretary, and Treasurer; the remaining members shall be Managers of the Board.

ART. 3. The officers of the Board shall be elected at the first meeting.

ART. 4. All members of the Board shall hold membership four years, and in case of a vacancy it shall be filled by the Board, subject to confirmation by the Conference.

ART. 5. The President, and in his absence, the Vice-President, shall preside at all meetings of the Board; at which three officers and four members shall constitute a quorum. He shall sign all drafts drawn upon the treasury by order of the Board, and decide all questions of law arising in the operations of the Board, subject to appeal to the President of the Conference.

ART. 6. The Secretary shall keep a full and complete record of the proceedings of the Board; issue all drafts ordered by it, and make an annual report to the Board, in such form as may be read at the anniversary meeting, embracing the names of the missions, amount of money appropriated to each one, and the general statistics. He shall send a copy of this report to the Secretaries of the Parent Board of Missions.

ART. 7. The Treasurer shall have charge of all the funds and property of the Board, and shall make a full report annually to the Board of all his receipts and disbursements. He shall receive all funds coming to the Conference for the Parent Board of Missions, and transmit the same to the Treasurer thereof.

ART. 8. The Board shall meet annually, on the first day of the Conference session, at 3 p. m., and proceed with business as follows:

1. Are there any vacancies in the Board?
2. What are the reports from Missions?
3. Have last year's appropriations been paid?
4. What arrangements shall be made for anniversary meeting?
5. What is the apportionment to this Conference for the general work, and how is it divided?
6. What amount is necessary for our missions, and how is it apportioned?
7. What amount of funds is in the treasury?
8. What appropriations shall be made this year?

9. What report shall now be made to Conference?

10. What other business?

At this time the Board shall arrange for holding anniversary meetings within the several Presiding Elders' Districts in the interest of Foreign Missions, and to disseminate missionary intelligence.

ART. 10. All appropriations of money shall be made to the missions designated, and held by the Treasurer of the Board, or Presiding Elder of the District, and shall be paid quarterly with the receipts at each quarterly meeting.

ART. 10. The Board shall not make any appropriation for relief to preachers who have not received their full allowance. Nor shall the Board pass upon any losses of moneys collected for missions, but shall report all such cases to the Conference for settlement.

ART. 11. The President, Secretary, and Treasurer, shall be an Executive Committee to make provision for anniversary missionary meetings at all our District Conferences.



STATISTICAL.

CIRCUITS AND STATIONS.	PREACHERS IN CHARGE.	Local Pr...	Members...	Add'ns on Profession.	Add'ns by Certificate.	Removals and Death.	No. Infants Baptized.	No. Adults Baptized.	Churches..	Value of Churches	Par's Values	Value of Par's Values	Val. of oth- er Church Property..	Exp'd on Ch'ches and Parson's	S. Schools.	Other's and Teachers.	Scholars...	Collect. for S. Schools	Collected by S. S. for Missions...	Collect. on Children's Day.....
KANSAS CITY DISTRICT—																				
Walnut St. and South Side. }	W. B. Palmore.....	3	541	26	75	31	11	16	1	\$100,000	..	.....	.....	\$1,098 50	3	59	713	\$1063 26	\$38 92	.....
	D. M. L. Baker.....																			
Centenary.....	J. C. Morris.....	1	352	15	53	11	6	8	1	30,000	1	\$3,000	.....	.....	1	25	225	309 70	.....	.....
Washington Street.....	T. W. Watts.....	..	170	1	19	48	2	...	1	10,000	..	.....	.....	84 35	2	27	150	108 72	53 27	\$8 05
Campbell Street.....	J. H. Glanville.....	..	130	12	16	11	10	7	1	10,000	..	.....	.....	231 70	1	6	150	47 77	.....	.....
Brooklyn Avenue.....	J. N. Huggins.....	1	187	17	38	35	15	7	1	6,600	1	3,000	.....	.....	1	14	100	55 60	25 70	7 00
Garland Avenue.....	R. F. Campbell.....	..	120	44	21	55	3	22	1	3,000	..	.....	.....	25 75	1	12	130	55 00	6 00	3 00
Melrose.....	C. M. Bishop.....	..	81	3	12	3	4	1	1	35,000	..	.....	.....	200 00	1	30	245	181 70	53 48	.....
Warfield Chapel.....	H. C. Meredith.....	1	126	10	13	21	6	7	1	5,000	1	2,000	.....	192 25	1	13	125	99 57	.....	7 75
Independence Station.....	C. M. Hawkins.....	..	340	22	42	54	4	9	1	20,000	1	3,000	.....	.....	2	26	260	218 43	10 00	9 25
	W. G. Pike.....	..	199	7	30	14	...	5	3	6,200	..	.....	.....	.....	3	19	150	40 00	.....	.....
Westport Circuit.....	W. P. Barrett.....																			
Lees Summit and Union.....	W. B. Cobb.....	1	211	26	5	21	...	13	1	2,300	1	900	.....	.....	1	15	98	44 10	15 09	6 14
Blue Springs Circuit.....	L. H. Vandiver.....	..	209	15	10	...	1	10	4	4,950	1	800	.....	2,243 40	3	19	176	44 50	21 33	.....
Pink Hill Circuit.....	E. M. Philips.....	2	209	9	6	13	4	7	3	2,900	1	500	.....	34 05	1	8	50	19 35	.....	3 00
Oak Grove Circuit.....	T. M. Horne.....	1	237	36	16	9	...	34	3	4,600	1	910	.....	685 16	3	27	224	9 78	.....	10 06
Lone Jack Circuit.....	A. C. Briggs.....	4	217	16	7	5	...	5	3½	4,000	..	.....	\$275	.....	2	12	111	25 00	.....	8 35
Pleasant Hill Station.....	L. S. Smith.....	..	105	...	...	...	1	...	1	3,750	..	.....	.....	58 00	1	11	85	50 00	.....	4 50
Harrisonville and Belton.....	J. C. Given.....	1	423	25	28	30	3	12	2	7,500	2	2,350	.....	950 50	2	23	265	145 70	20 00	6 15
Peculiar Circuit.....	J. W. Ezell.....	1	298	33	24	18	...	20	5	6,900	..	.....	.....	1,600 00	2	25	150	25 00	.....	.....
	W. F. Briggs.....	1	407	42	26	24	10	26	7	7,865	1	400	.....	3,235 64	3	29	150	25 00	.....	6 34
Gunn City Circuit.....	N. R. Stone.....																			
	Total.....	17	4562	359	441	403	80	209	41½	\$270,565	11	\$16,860	\$275	\$10,639 30	34	400	3557	\$2568 18	243 79	\$79 64
	Total last year.....	22	4344	...	...	...	99	298	37½	210,655	7	15,200	625	22,503 00	33	385	3580	1621 84	309 28	115 64
	Increase.....	..	218	...	...	...	...	4	...	59,910	4	1,660	.....	.....	1	...	...	946 34	...	...
	Decrease.....	5	...	...	...	...	19	89	...	...	...	...	350	11,863 70	..	15	23	...	65 49	36 00
LEXINGTON DISTRICT—																				
Lexington Station.....	F. Moore.....	1	317	33	7	30	3	26	1	\$15,000	1	\$3,000	\$50,000	\$500 00	1	30	180	\$128 92	\$30 60	.....
Wellington Circuit.....	C. T. Wallace.....	..	349	17	7	19	7	8	3½	4,600	1	850	.....	304 92	3	18	125	53 37	.....	.....
Odessa and Marvin Chapel..	J. Y. Busby.....	..	216	30	9	20	5	21	2	6,000	..	.....	.....	158 16	2	16	150	41 50	.....	.....
Montserrat Circuit.....	W. J. Snow.....	1	207	10	1	14	...	8	3¾	3,000	..	.....	.....	.....	1	11	67	21 92	.....	\$17 35
Columbus Circuit.....	Preston Philips.....	1	317	22	12	45	1	22	4	5,100	1	400	.....	136 00	3	27	152	13 10	.....	.....
Higginsville Station.....	L. R. Downs.....	..	135	13	15	11	1	3	1	2,100	..	.....	.....	125 00	1	11	70	50 00	.....	.....
Chilhowie Circuit.....	V. M. Crutsinger.....	..	252	36	6	12	2	13	3½	1,700	1	600	.....	283 00	..	...	...	...	...	.....
Warrensburg Station.....	R. A. Holloway.....	..	115	2	13	15	...	...	1	4,000	1	1,000	.....	1,050 00	1	10	120	50 00	12 00	6 20
LaMonte and Dresden.....	E. G. Frazier.....	2	173	13	3	12	1	4	1	2,000	1	1,000	.....	.....	2	16	120	60 00	.....	2 47
Herndon Circuit.....	W. S. Woodard.....	1	249	4	12	31	5	1	3	3,500	1	500	.....	110 00	3	24	178	40 70	.....	8 58
Sweet Springs and Blackwar	W. T. Eastwood.....	1	172	3	12	3	...	...	3	5,200	1	1,200	.....	215 00	2	17	110	40 00	6 28	.....
Elmwood and Grand Pass...	W. T. Gill.....	..	225	11	7	20	2	5	2	4,500	1	1,200	.....	.....	2	13	125	45 00	.....	12 00
Longwood and High Point..	W. W. Jared.....	..	216	37	8	4	3	29	2	4,500	..	.....	.....	1,810 00	2	14	124	52 75	.....	10 20
Miami and Mt. Carmel.....	H. L. Anderson.....	..	200	11	2	6	...	3	3	8,800	1	600	.....	125 00	3	15	135	100 00	5 00	10 00
Waverly Station.....	W. H. Winton.....	1	176	2	5	8	...	2	1	3,000	1	1,000	.....	150 00	1	9	139	53 16	.....	.....
Dover Circuit.....	A. L. Houston.....	..	210	11	5	8	...	9	3	3,600	1	700	.....	120 00	3	19	85	20 00	...	3 75
Corder Circuit.....	W. B. McFarland.....	..	235	20	7	7	1	15	2	3,000	1	1,000	.....	41 00	1	12	145	88 00	.....	3 00
	Total.....	8	3764	265	131	265	31	169	40	\$79,600	13	\$13,050	\$50,000	\$3,428 08	31	262	2025	\$858 42	\$53 88	\$73 55
	Total last year.....	9	3684	...	...	...	34	140	36½	71,900	11	10,490	50,000	5,856 00	31	272	2069	903 79	107 80	71 56
	Increase.....	..	80	...	...	...	...	29	3½	7,700	2	2,560	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Decrease.....	1	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,427 92	..	10	34	45 37	53 92	1 99

BOONVILLE DISTRICT—

Boonville Station.....	L. P. Norfleet.....	305	2	11	40	.....	1	\$ 9,000	1	\$1,500	\$1,200	.....	1	23	183	\$55 00	\$28 50	.....	
Boonville Circuit.....	Perry Long.....	1	130	13	2	.....	11	5 3	1,800	.....	300	.....	3	12	100	10 00	.....	.....
Pilot Grove Circuit.....	A. B. Donaldson.....	1	300	44	6	25	6	22 3	8,800	1	1,000	.....	3	30	240	70 00	.....	\$6 60
Arrow Rock Circuit.....	J. C. Coss.....	1	180	3	2	77	1	2 2	3,050	1	400	.....	2	17	135	65 00	.....	18 80
Oreaville Circuit.....	L. H. Davis.....	2	209	55	5	25	2	39 3	4,600	.....	.....	15 60	3	27	177	48 00	.....	12 15
Gilliam and Cambridge C...	W. F. Wagoner.....	1	173	47	3	10	1	26 2	3,000	1	2,000	.....	2	12	100	33 00	9 53	4 30	
Slater Station.....	T. P. Cobb.....	2	233	23	11	12	9	6 1	2,500	1	2,000	.....	1	9	100	50 00	10 16	3 10	
Marshall Station.....	Clinton Clenny.....	1	311	32	42	30	.....	9 1	15,000	1	3,000	.....	1	21	150	91 06	42 79	7 62
Clifton Circuit.....	C. A. Lewis.....	.....	260	51	10	10	3	33 5	7,000	1	300	.....	3	16	150	15 00	.....	3 03
Bunceton and Bell Air.....	Boone Keeton.....	.....	90	.....	.....	6	.....	2 2	3,200	1	1,200	.....	2	13	105	30 55	8 89	11 30
California Circuit.....	E. Y. Ginn.....	1	244	11	11	.....	2	11 1½	6,500	1	1,200	.....	1	15	120	65 00	.....	.....
Aurora Mission.....	W. A. Whitmer.....	1	130	10	3	5	.....	4 1½	1,000	.....	1,000	.....	1	7	60	4 00	.....	.....
Russellville Circuit.....	J. N. Anthony.....	.....	239	6	5	34	8	2 2½	2,400	1	450	.....	2	16	80	4 00	.....	.....
Jefferson City Station.....	R. S. Hunter.....	.....	257	19	10	9	3	15 1	10,000	1	5,000	2,650	1	18	160	.....	92 70	4 50
Chamois Station.....	T. P. Hill.....	1	221	7	2	10	8	16 3¼	1,800	1	350	.....	2	22	158	38 65	.....	.....
Prairie Home Circuit.....	J. L. Sullens.....	.....	240	23	3	28	3	14 3	2,600	1	1,000	.....	2	12	60	22 00	.....	10 00
Total.....		11	3522	346	126	321	57	206 36¼	\$82,850	13	\$19,400	\$5,159	\$11,542	20	30	270	2078	\$601 66	152 57	\$81 37
Total last year.....		13	3530	65	122 32¼	86,350	12	18,310	455	6,793	00	26	238	1900	756 36	174 25	69 67
Increase.....		84 4¼	1	1,090	4,615	4,749	20	4	32	178	18 32	11 70
Decrease.....		2	8	8	3,500	154 70

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT—

St. Paul's.....	M. M. Hawkins.....	7	462	4	23	45	2	2 2	\$26,250	1	2,500	.....	2	38	360	\$187 50	.....	\$4 00
Campbell Street.....	M. M. Pugh.....	1	243	9	45	26	1	9 2	8,500	1	2,000	.....	2	23	175	79 05	.....	.....
Springfield Circuit.....	J. W. Bond.....	1	383	11	5	27	6	8 6	3,525	1	300	.....	5	30	165	.....	.....	4 15
Marshfield Station.....	W. B. Morgan.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	W. M. McAllister.....	2	174	1	3	13	1	1 1	2,500	1	700	.....	1	14	120	51 40	.....	6 00
Marshfield Circuit.....	W. L. McGuire.....	2	414	11	.....	20	2	10 5	2,600	1	700	.....	5	28	250	45 00	.....	11 87
Henderson Circuit.....	J. B. Landreth.....	4	239	26	8	21	2	11 4½	3,600	1	300	.....	2	14	90	18 25	.....	.....
Ozark Circuit.....	A. G. Moore.....	1	97	4	1	5	.....	1 1	1,650	1	550	.....	1	10	110	35 09	.....	.....
Morrisville Station.....	B. H. Gragg.....	6	184	9	27	62	.....	1	.....	1	600	\$10,000	1	15	148	16 00	\$13 00	.....	
Bolivar Circuit.....	J. J. Reed.....	1	332	23	20	16	10	9 4	5,200	.....	.....	.....	3	23	162	31 05	.....	2 90
Stockton Circuit.....	A. N. Henderson.....	1	158	2	1	10	4	2 2	1,100	.....	.....	.....	1	7	40	.....	.....	1 00
Jerico Circuit.....	J. A. Matthews.....	2	27	48	10	11	4	29 2½	2,400	.....	.....	.....	3	20	150	9 88	.....	2 10
Greenfield Circuit.....	J. L. Hagler.....	4	380	40	12	20	10	25 2¼	2,000	1	1,000	.....	4	24	250	35 00	.....	1 50
Bois d'Arc Circuit.....	R. J. Nelson.....	1	215	16	2	6	2	.....	3,700	.....	.....	.....	3	25	150	30 00	.....	6 25
Ash Grove Mission.....	Jacob Shook.....	2	152	8	12	5	.....	8 2	2,000	.....	.....	.....	1	8	79	9 00	.....	.....
Willard Circuit.....	I. A. Thomas.....	2	350	19	9	8	3	11 4	4,000	1	650	150	5	35	255	66 00	.....	5 85	
Mount Vernon Circuit.....	W. H. Son.....	4	318	12	14	13	3	11 5	4,000	1	200	.....	2	12	70	6 51	.....	.....
Total.....	Total.....	41	4458	243	192	308	50	138 46	\$72,425	12	\$12,009	\$10,150	\$6,359	60	41	326	2514	\$619 64	\$13 00	\$45 62
Total last year.....	Total last year.....	40	4314	74	193 41½	68,375	11	9,115	11,025	5,570	00	36	294	2050	527 16	30 14	33 24
Increase.....	Increase.....	1	144	4½	4,050	1	2,885	389	60	5	32	464	92 48	12 38
Decrease.....	Decrease.....	24	55	875	17 14

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CIRCUITS AND STATIONS.	PREACHERS IN CHARGE.	Local Pr...	Addns. on Profession. Members..	Addns. by Certificate.	Removals and Deaths	No. Infants Baptized.	No. Adults Baptized.	Churches..	Value of Churches	Parsonages	Value of Parsonages	Val. of oth- er Church Property..	Exp'd on Ch'ches and Parsonages	S. Schools. Teachers.	Office's and Teachers.	Scholars...	Collect. for S. Schools	Collected by S. S. for Missions...	Collect. on Children's Day.....
NEOSHO DISTRICT—																			
Neosho Station.....	C. C. Woods.....	3	178	15	12	6	14	1	\$ 2,500	..	..	\$25,000	..	1	15	125	\$75 00	\$16 40	\$5 36
Seneca Circuit.....	S. P. Cayton.....	..	206	60	7	18	1	29	450	..	..	..	\$10 00	..	..	..	..	..	..
Southwest City Circuit.....	J. A. Jared.....	1	215	78	30	15	2	50	1,800	..	..	250	..	1	10	50	20 00	..	1 75
Pineville Circuit.....	J. G. L. Mitchell.....	..	240	23	..	..	17	2	1,000	1	\$ 150	..	210 00	3	24	197	12 60	..	3 23
Newtonia Circuit.....	J. J. Kellar.....	1	385	24	5	8	1	12	1,000	1	400	500	225 00	3	20	175	18 00	..	..
Exeter Circuit.....	J. R. Hargis.....	2	205	7	5	25	4	3	600	1	350	..	50 00	..	..	..	..	..	1 60
Grangeville Circuit.....	W. F. Moore.....	..	122	12	1	6	..	9	2,600	..	..	..	..	1	8	35	7 00	..	..
Pierce City Station.....	F. M. Totten.....	..	95	4	3	5	3	1	1,600	1	450	..	..	1	10	70	32 00	..	..
Monette and Sarcouxia.....	Rush McDonald.....	1	84	5	5	14	..	4	4,000	1	250	..	..	2	15	120	30 97	..	..
Red Oak Circuit.....	..	1	250	27	3	32	16	11	1,700	1	400	250	15 00	2	15	110	8 40	..	3 45
Carthage Station.....	J. E. Carpenter.....	..	123	8	14	6	..	8	6,000	..	..	..	..	1	14	108	25 00	10 10	..
Webb City Station.....	W. C. Bewley.....	1	261	35	29	41	4	23	8,500	1	1,600	..	562 00	1	20	250	64 00	..	5 45
Carterville and Har'y Grove	J. P. Callaway.....	3	170	2	23	..	..	2	3,500	1	1,000	..	138 95	2	24	170	34 75	16 62	..
Jasper Circuit.....	J. A. Swift.....	1	158	19	4	16	5	17	4,230	1	600	..	..	2	12	90	19 82	..	..
Total.....		14	2692	319	141	198	42	200	40,250	9	\$5,230	\$26,000	\$1,210 95	20	187	1500	\$347 54	\$43 12	\$20 84
Total last year.....		17	2524	..	..	41	110	24 1/2	41,700	8	4,610	25,400	4,182 00	22	218	1623	412 95	60 55	34 43
Increase.....		..	168	..	..	1	90	..	..	1	590	600	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Decrease.....		3	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,450	..	..	..	2,971 05	2	31	123	65 41	26 43	13 59
CLINTON DISTRICT—																			
Sedalia Station.....	A. R. Faris.....	2	312	33	39	28	9	17	3,000	1	2,500	1,500	1,450 00	1	15	182	93 70	21 16	..
Sedalia Circuit.....	J. F. Robb.....	1	312	18	2	24	2	12	6,000	..	..	..	160 00	4	35	300	60 00	13 70	10 00
Glenstead Circuit.....	H. C. Allen.....	1	245	4	..	2	4	..	1,500	1	350	..	23 40	5	35	168	13 16	..	..
Versailles Station.....	L. B. Noland.....	3	124	..	3	16	3	..	2,000	1	500	..	..	1	13	90	90 00	..	..
Green Ridge Circuit.....	J. F. Hogan.....	..	230	46	5	3	1	26	4,000	..	..	..	475 00	2	15	160	27 00	6 50	4 84
Windsor Station.....	J. McCrory.....	..	210	53	15	15	7	33	2,900	1	500	80	..	1	13	120	63 20	..	..
Calhoun Circuit.....	J. S. Russell.....	3	294	69	12	4	..	31	3,500	..	..	..	700 00	2	14	180	25 00	..	..
Drake Circuit.....	R. G. Flummer.....	..	455	58	11	18	4	43	3,800	..	..	..	195 00	3	24	157	35 00	..	7 17
Lincoln Circuit.....	N. A. Auld.....	1	242	2	6	11	1	..	2,000	1	600	400	430 00	2	18	125	15 00	..	..
Osceola Circuit.....	M. Bahrenburg.....	2	160	23	..	6	5	7	3,400	1	400	..	1,035 00	4	28	186	..	..	..
Deepwater Circuit.....	C. Bruner.....	..	197	41	13	24	..	20	5,300	1	400	..	919 00	2	14	120	15 00	..	..
Lucas Circuit.....	C. A. Emmons.....	2	258	21	4	5	2	16	5,000	1	800	..	253 00	4	32	250	70 02	..	..
Montrose Circuit.....	Milton Adkisson.....	1	397	32	7	38	6	15	5,300	1	1,200	..	223 00	4	37	266	70 00	..	5 35
Clinton Station.....	W. H. Hogan.....	..	157	7	39	19	..	2	8,000	..	..	..	..	1	14	136	..	..	5 45
Total.....		16	3593	398	147	213	44	222	55,700	9	\$7,250	\$1,980	\$5,863 40	36	307	2434	\$577 08	\$41 36	\$32 81
Total last year.....		17	3502	..	..	85	200	40 1/4	54,625	8	7,950	50	5,420 00	36	314	2121	585 71	52 73	34 86
Increase.....		..	91	..	..	..	22	1/4	1,075	1	..	1,930	443 40	..	..	213	..	..	..
Decrease.....		1	..	..	..	41	..	..	..	..	700	..	..	..	7	..	8 63	11 37	2 05

NEVADA DISTRICT—																				
Nevada Station.....	J. M. Boon.....	534	89	53	80	6	42	1	\$17,000	1	\$3,500	\$250	\$2,000 00	1	29	300	\$138 30	\$41 40	
Moundville Circuit.....	J. A. Greening.....	1 371	48	25	3	23	5	3,300	1	800	150	2,500 00	7	60	390	65 65	14 00	\$11 20	
Sheldon Circuit.....	J. T. Loyall.....	2 279	26	15	44	3	6	4	5,200	1	800	868 00	5	44	374	45 23	3 36	
Kenoma Circuit.....	R. O. Eustace.....	3 116	18	6	11	3	3,300	187 00	3	13	94	7 90	
Montevallo Circuit.....	T. C. Puckett.....	4 311	18	26	14	2	18	3	3,700	1	200	155 65	3	20	200	22 00	
Eldorado Station.....	W. M. Prottzman.....	1 96	1	26	1	1	3,000	589 99	1	11	77	43 50	
Walker Circuit.....	T. W. Alton.....	286	25	6	27	12	9	2,000	50	71 40	2	12	70	18 55	
Metz Circuit.....	C. G. Hamilton.....	3 223	65	10	16	4	39	2	2,000	50	75 00	2	20	90	10 00	
Hume Circuit.....	B. V. Alton.....	1 279	8	11	29	1	1	3	3,700	1	800	3	22	210	50 00	
Sprague Circuit.....	V. J. Sevier.....	1 227	4	6	1½	1,700	1	600	40 00	2	21	227	103 68	6 50	
Rich Hill Station.....	R. H. Shaeffer.....	1 290	153	10	12	2	120	1	10,000	1	1,000	350 00	1	20	180	25 00	6 00	
Butler Circuit.....	J. M. Stultz.....	136	11	33	18	2	4	1,500	1	800	98 92	1	12	120	48 04	2 00	
Everett Circuit.....	J. F. Pike.....	2 224	7	7	15	7	7	1	2,500	125 00	1	12	90	15 00	
Papinsville Circuit.....	J. W. E. Rothrock.....	2 188	46	13	16	8	24	2	1,900	1,000 00	1	8	25	3 00	
Roscoe Mission.....	2 87	28	18	3	7	2	1,400	62 00	3	18	138	11 35	
Total.....		23 3617	543	227	303	57	318	32½	\$67,200	8	\$8,500	\$ 500	\$ 8,122 96	36	322	2585	\$582 20	\$89 40	\$29 06	
Total last year.....		19 3324	63	336	29½	64,850	7	8,659	2,000	12,760 00	27	259	2092	606 85	69 35	36 38	
Increase.....		4 293	3	2,350	1	9	63	493	11 05	
Decrease.....		6	18	150	1,500	4,637 04	24 65	7 32	
LEBANON DISTRICT—																				
Lebanon Station.....	J. M. Nickels.....	73	8	3	14	1	6	1	\$2,000	\$ 50 00	1	8	60	\$15 00	\$ 6 00	
Lebanon Circuit.....	C. K. Shilling.....	265	25	3	6	4	24	3	2,800	\$250	42 00	4	20	165	13 15	\$ 7 64	
Richland Circuit.....	J. W. Perry.....	4 339	11	5	4	11	5	30	125	12 50	
Decaturville Circuit.....	R. T. Turner.....	2 335	50	6	6	6	3,350	875 90	1	9	75	8 00	
Waynesville Circuit.....	J. J. Hoare.....	2 197	10	4	3	10	1	1,400	1	\$400	33 00	1	9	60	7 35	
Vlenna Circuit.....	C. C. Howard.....	1 134	30	5	8	11	4	2,500	100	525 00	3	18	300	20 00	
Buffalo Circuit.....	N. M. Dowdy.....	3 219	5	21	4	5	4	2,600	1	900	744 45	4	36	235	17 50	2 25	

NEVADA DISTRICT—																				
Nevada Station.....	J. M. Boon.....	..	534	89	53	80	6	42	1	\$17,000	1	\$3,530	\$250	\$2,000 00	1	29	300	\$138 30	\$41 40
Moundville Circuit.....	J. A. Greening.....	1	371	48	25	3	23	5	3,390	1	830	159	2,500 00	7	60	390	65 65	14 00	\$11 29
Sheldon Circuit.....	J. T. Loyall.....	2	279	26	15	44	3	6	4	5,209	1	800	868 00	5	44	374	45 23	3 36
Kenoma Circuit.....	R. O. Eustace.....	3	116	18	6	11	3	3,300	187 00	3	13	94	7 90
Montevallo Circuit.....	T. C. Puckett.....	4	311	18	26	14	2	18	3	3,700	1	200	155 65	3	20	200	22 00
Eldorado Station.....	W. M. Prottzman.....	1	96	1	26	1	1	3,000	589 99	1	11	77	43 50
Walker Circuit.....	T. W. Alton.....	286	25	6	27	12	9	2	2,000	50	71 40	2	12	70	18 55
Metz Circuit.....	C. G. Hamilton.....	3	223	65	10	16	4	39	2	2,000	59	75 00	2	20	90	10 00
Hume Circuit.....	B. V. Alton.....	1	279	8	11	29	1	1	3	3,700	1	830	3	22	210	50 00
Sprague Circuit.....	V. J. Sevier.....	1	227	4	6	1½	1,700	40 00	2	21	227	103 68	6 50
Rich Hill Station.....	R. H. Shaeffer.....	1	290	153	10	12	2	120	1	10,000	1	1,000	359 00	1	20	180	25 00	6 00
Butler Circuit.....	J. M. Stultz.....	136	11	33	18	2	4	1	1,500	1	830	98 92	1	12	120	48 04	2 00
Everett Circuit.....	J. F. Pike.....	2	224	7	7	15	7	7	1	2,500	125 00	1	12	90	15 00
Papinsville Circuit.....	J. W. E. Rothrock.....	2	188	46	13	16	8	24	2	1,900	1,000 00	1	8	25	3 00
Roscoe Mission.....	2	87	28	18	3	7	2	1,400	62 00	3	18	138	11 35
Total.....		23	3617	543	227	303	57	318	32½	\$67,200	8	\$8,500	\$ 500	\$ 8,122 96	36	322	2585	\$582 20	\$89 40	\$29 06
Total last year.....		19	3324	63	336	29½	64,850	7	8,659	2,000	12,769 00	27	259	2092	606 85	69 35	36 38
Increase.....		4	293	3	2,350	1	9	63	493	11 05
Decrease.....		6	18	159	1,500	4,637 04	24 65	7 32
LEBANON DISTRICT—																				
Lebanon Station.....	J. M. Nickels.....	..	73	8	3	14	1	6	1	\$2,000	\$ 50 00	1	8	60	\$15 00	\$ 6 00
Lebanon Circuit.....	C. K. Shilling.....	..	265	25	3	6	4	24	3	2,800	\$250	42 00	4	20	165	13 15	\$ 7 64
Richland Circuit.....	J. W. Perry.....	4	339	11	5	4	11	5	30	125	12 50
Decaturville Circuit.....	J. T. Turner.....	2	335	50	6	6	6	3,350	875 90	1	9	75	8 00
Waynesville Circuit.....	R. J. Hoare.....	2	197	10	4	3	10	1	1,400	1	\$400	33 00	1	9	60	7 35
Vlenna Circuit.....	C. C. Howard.....	1	134	30	5	8	11	4	2,500	100	525 00	3	18	300	20 00
Buffalo Circuit.....	N. M. Dowdy.....	3	219	5	21	4	5	4	2,600	1	900	744 45	4	36	235	17 50	2 25
Cross Timbers Circuit.....	W. R. White.....	10	440	52	3	6	26	38	8	4,000	1	400	209 00	5	25	300	33 00	2 80
Wheatland Circuit.....	J. L. Patterson.....
Mansfield Circuit.....	J. H. Denny.....	1	66	3	7	2	12	2	2½	2,500	2	13	43
Plato Circuit.....	W. A. Byrd.....	1	158	43	11	27	15	33	2	10	100	3 00
Mountain Grove and Cabool.....	A. E. Harney.....	4	310	36	6	10	1	26	2½	800	4 00	2	10	100
Arno Circuit.....	J. B. Appleby.....	158	61	16	41	9	35	2	1,650	1	350	350	800 00	2	17	170	92 50	7 50
	J. M. Grundy.....	2	276	2	2	1	6	45	5 25
Total.....		30	2961	286	120	120	93	299	33	\$23,600	4	\$2,050	\$700	\$3,274 35	31	201	1678	\$215 75	\$18 50	\$20 19
Total last year.....		36	2938	117	209	29½	18,875	5	2,240	425	1,149 09	34	235	1543	169 18	17 72	15 85
Increase.....		..	23	3½	4,725	279	2,125 35	135	46 57	78	4 34
Decrease.....		6	24	1	199	3	34

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KANSAS CITY DISTRICT—															
Walnut St. and South Side.	C. H. Briggs.	\$325	\$325 00	\$2000	\$2000 00	\$40 00	\$40 00	\$146 25	\$146 25	\$275 00	\$275 00	\$275 00	\$275 00	\$70 00	\$70 00
	W. B. Palmore..			600											
Centenary.....	D. M. Litaker...			2500	2100 00	40 00	40 00	141 25	141 25	275 00	275 00	275 00	275 00	70 00	70 00
	J. C. Morris, 3/4..	325	325 00												
	J. E. Godbey, 1/2			1000		10 00	10 00	54 25	54 25	65 00	55 00	65 00	55 00	18 00	18 00
Washington Street.....	T. W. Watts.....	100	100 00	1000	1000 00	13 00	13 00	55 00	55 00	75 00	75 00	75 00	75 00	20 00	20 00
Campbell Street.....	J. H. Glanville..	55	40 05	700	599 75	5 00	5 00	37 75	16 40	40 00	5 30	40 00	5 70	5 00	5 00
Brooklyn Avenue.....	J. N. Huggins....	85		1000		10 00	10 00	54 25	54 25	65 00	55 00	65 00	55 00	18 00	18 00
Garland Avenue.....	R. J. Campbell..	40	40 00	600	604 00	5 00	5 00	32 00	32 00	30 00	30 00	30 00	30 00	8 00	8 00
Melrose.....	C. M. Bishop....	110	110 00	1200	1200 00	15 00	15 00	65 50	66 40	100 00	154 51	100 00	100 00	25 00	25 00
Independence Station.....	C. M. Hawkins..	160	160 00	1500	1500 00	20 00	20 00	83 00	83 00	125 00	125 00	125 00	125 00	40 00	40 00
Westport.....	H. C. Meredith..	90	90 00	800	800 00	13 00	13 00	44 50	44 50	70 00	42 50	70 00	42 50	20 00	20 00
Wesport Circuit.....	W. G. Pike.....	60	45 00	600	671 50	7 00	5 00	33 00	30 00	45 00	28 35	45 00	27 00	12 00	10 00
Lees Summit and Union.....	W. B. Cobb.....	90	90 00	675	675 00	13 00	13 00	38 25	38 25	80 00	80 00	80 00	80 00	20 00	20 00
Blue Springs Circuit.....	L. H. Vandiver..	80	75 85	600	560 40	9 00	9 00	34 00	30 95	65 00	65 00	65 00	48 28	18 00	18 00
Pink Hill Circuit.....	L. M. Phillips....	70	67 65	500	487 15	8 00	6 00	28 50	24 35	60 00	41 50	60 00	35 00	16 00	12 00
Oak Grove Circuit.....	T. M. Horne.....	75	66 85	600	536 95	9 00	9 00	33 75	35 75	60 00	60 00	60 00	64 40	17 00	17 00
Lone Jack Circuit.....	H. S. Mobley, 1/2	80	75 00	500	427 00	9 00	9 00	20 00	14 32	60 00	22 75	60 00	22 75	17 00	9 00
	A. C. Briggs, 1/2..														
Pleasant Hill Circuit.....	I. S. Smith.....	50	50 00	550	500 00	5 00	.....	30 00	.....	35 00	22 00	35 00	22 00	18 00	8 00
Harrisonville Circuit.....	J. C. Given.....	125	125 00	1200	1200 00	16 00	16 00	66 25	66 50	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	30 00	30 00
Peculiar Circuit.....	J. W. Ezell.....	80	78 65	600	580 85	9 00	9 00	34 00	33 45	65 00	50 00	65 00	36 00	18 00	18 00
Gunn City Circuit.....	W. F. Briggs....	100	85 15	800	677 50	10 00	10 00	45 00	35 00	75 00	57 82	75 00	55 00	18 00	18 00
Total.....		\$2100	\$2021 70	\$18225	\$17066 10	\$256 00	\$252 00	\$1031 25	\$975 12	\$1700 00	\$1565 16	\$1700 00	\$1473 63	\$450 00	\$436 00
LEXINGTON DISTRICT—															
Lexington Station.....	T. M. Cobb 3/4														
	W. T. McClure 3/4														
	F. Moore 1/2	160	160 00	1000	900 00	18 50	18 50	58 00	58 00	135 00	135 00	135 00	135 00	34 00	34 00
Wellington Circuit.....	C. T. Wallace...	80	80 00	550	553 55	13 50	13 50	31 50	31 65	60 00	60 00	60 00	60 00	17 00	17 00
Odessa and Marvin Chapel...	J. Y. Busby.....	70	70 00	600	600 00	13 50	13 50	33 50	33 50	60 00	55 00	60 00	55 00	22 00	14 50
Montserrat Circuit.....	W. J. Snow.....	60	60 00	435	435 00	8 00	6 00	24 75	30 00	50 00	50 00	50 00	50 00	14 00	12 00
Columbus Circuit.....	Preston Phillips.	80	76 00	500	474 60	13 50	13 50	20 00	19 75	70 00	70 00	70 00	70 00	22 00	22 00
Higginsville Station.....	L. R. Downing..	70	70 00	600	600 00	13 50	10 00	33 50	33 50	55 00	55 00	55 00	55 00	20 00	20 00
Chilhowie Circuit.....	V. M. Crutsinger	70	58 27	400	343 82	11 00	11 00	23 50	23 50	55 00	55 00	55 00	55 00	16 00	16 00
Warrensburg Station.....	R. A. Holloway..	70	66 50	600	633 00	11 00	6 00	33 50	36 00	60 00	40 00	60 00	60 00	14 00	10 00
Lamonte and Dresden.....	E. G. Frazier....	70	49 85	600	500 00	13 50	10 00	33 50	25 00	60 00	25 00	60 00	25 00	20 00	5 00
Herndon Circuit.....	W. S. Woodard..	60	45 00	500	466 40	13 00	5 60	28 00	23 25	50 00	50 00	50 00	50 00	17 00	8 15
Sweet Springs and Blackwa'r	W. T. Eastwood	90	90 00	600	600 50	15 00	15 00	34 50	34 50	80 00	86 20	80 00	40 00	24 00	24 00
Elmwood and Grand Pass...	W. T. Gill.....	80	80 00	600	600 00	13 50	13 50	34 00	34 00	70 00	55 00	70 00	50 00	24 00	10 00
Longwood and High Point...	W. W. Jared....	80	80 00	600	600 00	13 50	12 00	34 00	35 00	65 00	68 00	65 00	68 00	22 00	25 00
Miami and Mt. Carmel.....	H. L. Anderson..	80	76 80	700	672 50	13 50	10 00	30 00	35 75	70 00	35 00	70 00	55 00	24 00	15 00
Waverly Station.....	W. H. Winton..	95	95 00	600	600 00	15 00	15 00	34 75	34 75	90 00	90 00	90 00	90 00	25 00	25 00
Dover Circuit.....	A. L. Houston...	65	62 60	500	455 90	12 00	9 00	28 25	28 25	60 00	45 00	60 00	20 00	17 00	17 00
Corder Circuit.....	W. B. McFarland	70	70 00	500	500 00	13 50	13 50	28 50	28 50	60 00	40 00	60 00	40 00	17 00	10 00
Total.....		\$1350	\$1190 02	\$3885	\$9515 27	\$225 50	\$195 60	\$561 75	\$554 15	\$1150 00	\$1014 20	\$1150 00	\$928 00	\$350 00	\$284 65

BOONVILLE DISTRICT—		J. M. CLARK.													
Boonville Station.....	L. P. Norfleet...	\$178	\$178 00	\$1230	\$1290 00	\$28 00	\$21 00	\$68 90	\$68 90	\$146 00	\$146 00	\$146 00	\$146 00	\$45 00	\$45 00
Boonville Circuit.....	Perry Long.....	45	28 00	450	345 00	7 00	.....	24 75	17 25	36 00	.....	36 00	.....	11 00	.....
Pilot Grove Circuit.....	A. B. Donaldson	88	83 50	800	713 35	15 00	15 00	44 40	39 85	73 00	73 00	73 00	64 00	19 00	22 00
Arrow Rock Circuit.....	J. C. Coss.....	75	75 00	550	550 00	13 00	9 00	31 25	27 50	61 00	61 00	61 00	29 00	19 00	19 00
Orearville Circuit.....	L. H. Davis.....	89	88 00	630	550 00	15 00	15 00	34 45	30 00	73 00	73 00	73 00	63 00	22 00	22 00
Gilliam and Cambridge Ct....	W. F. Wagoner.	75	75 00	600	600 00	14 00	11 00	33 75	33 75	61 00	50 00	61 00	50 00	19 00	19 00
Slater Station.....	T. P. Cobb.....	113	112 60	750	750 00	16 00	16 00	43 15	37 50	92 00	92 00	92 00	92 00	28 00	28 00
Marshall Station.....	Clinton Clenny..	150	150 00	1200	1050 00	23 00	18 00	67 50	60 00	122 00	125 70	122 00	122 60	38 00	38 00
Clifton Circuit.....	C. A. Lewis.....	60	56 00	470	427 00	8 00	3 00	26 50	21 35	49 00	5 00	49 00	49 00	14 00	9 00
Bunceton and Bell Air Ct....	Boone Keeton...	103	89 25	700	700 00	17 00	11 00	40 15	35 00	86 00	39 04	86 00	88 70	26 00	15 00
Prairie Home Circuit.....	J. L. Sullens.....	67	56 00	450	411 00	12 00	5 00	25 85	20 50	55 00	55 00	55 00	20 00	17 00	5 00
California Circuit.....	E. Y. Ginn.....	59	52 00	400	388 00	8 00	3 00	22 95	15 00	49 00	15 00	49 00	15 00	14 00	5 00
Aurora Mission.....	W. A. Whitmer...	43	29 00	370	225 00	7 00	.....	20 70	8 00	36 00	5 00	36 00	5 00	11 00	.....
Russellville Circuit.....	J. N. Anthony...	43	25 00	500	320 00	7 00	4 00	27 15	17 25	36 00	12 50	36 00	12 50	11 00	3 25
Jefferson City Station.....	R. S. Hunter....	150	135 60	1000	913 00	23 00	23 00	57 50	50 00	122 00	100 00	122 00	50 00	38 00	38 00
Chamois Station.....	T. P. Hill.....	63	46 85	450	343 50	9 00	3 00	25 65	19 50	53 00	7 30	53 00	6 00	15 00	5 00
Total.....		\$1461	\$1278 60	\$10490	\$9485 85	\$222 00	\$157 00	\$594 60	\$501 35	\$1150 00	\$864 84	\$1150 00	\$828 20	\$350 00	\$273 25
SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT—		L. W. PEARCE.													
St. Paul's.....	J. W. Lowrance.	\$167	\$150 00	\$1500	\$1250 00	\$16 00	\$20 00	\$83 35	\$70 00	\$112 00	\$100 00	\$112 00	\$100 00	\$46 00	\$35 00
Campbell Street.....	M. M. Hawkins..	70	63 50	900	815 75	5 00	5 00	48 50	43 95	25 00	12 00	25 00	12 30	19 00	19 00
	M. M. Pugh.....														
Springfield Circuit.....	J. W. Bond.....	57	37 85	450	236 62	5 00	5 00	25 45	19 00	50 00	17 65	50 00	18 00	13 00	5 00
Marshfield Station.....	W. M. McAlister	57	44 50	410	357 65	5 00	3 00	23 45	17 90	40 00	11 50	40 00	4 90	14 00	.....
Marshfield Circuit.....	W. L. Maguire...	60	36 00	500	296 00	5 00	2 00	28 00	12 50	40 00	18 00	40 00	10 00	14 00	.....
Henderson Circuit.....	J. B. Landreth..	42	18 63	380	167 70	4 00	2 00	21 10	9 00	35 00	11 00	35 00	5 00	8 00	.....
Ozark Circuit.....	A. G. Moore.....	36	30 60	285	227 85	5 00	4 00	16 45	11 40	15 00	5 00	15 00	15 00	11 00	.....
Morrisville Station.....	B. H. Cragg.....	51	47 80	450	427 00	5 00	5 00	25 45	10 00	45 00	27 00	45 00	22 00	13 00	2 00
Bolivar Circuit.....	J. J. Reed.....	57	47 05	500	424 45	5 00	7 00	27 85	23 10	50 00	40 00	50 00	36 45	16 00	16 00
Stockton Circuit.....	A. N. Henderson	46	31 50	300	262 00	5 00	3 00	17 30	10 10	40 00	3 95	40 00	85	13 00	.....
Jerico Circuit.....	J. A. Matthews..	46	26 00	400	242 00	5 00	3 00	22 30	3 00	35 00	2 50	35 00	2 50	13 00	.....
Greenfield Circuit.....	J. L. Hagler.....	59	50 00	450	450 00	5 00	5 00	25 00	25 00	40 00	25 00	40 00	22 20	13 00	10 00
Bois d'Arc Circuit.....	R. J. Nelson.....	51	34 85	400	273 05	5 00	5 00	22 55	15 40	40 00	18 68	40 00	18 73	13 00	9 91
Ash Grove Mission.....	Jacob Shook.....	51	48 65	424	404 65	5 00	1 00	23 75	20 25	40 00	3 35	40 00	5 70	13 00	.....
Willard Circuit.....	L. A. Thomas....	50	46 67	450	410 63	5 00	5 00	25 00	23 00	40 00	28 20	40 00	28 20	16 00	13 00
Mount Vernon.....	W. H. Son.....	50	27 70	300	185 50	5 00	6 00	17 50	9 65	40 00	.....	40 00	5 45	16 00	.....
Missionary Appropriation....	.....	100	100 00	.....	135 87	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total.....		\$1029	\$841 30	\$8099	\$6476 72	\$90 00	\$81 60	\$451 40	\$323 25	\$700 00	\$323 33	\$700 00	\$209 28	\$250 00	\$109 91

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NEOSHO DISTRICT—															
Neosho Station.....	T. D. PAYNE.	\$100	\$100 00	\$800	\$600 00	\$9 00	\$9 00	\$45 00	\$35 00	\$52 00	\$52 00	\$52 00	\$52 00	\$18 00
Seneca Circuit.....	C. C. Woods....	75	53 00	320	225 70	6 00	4 00	19 75	13 95	42 00	18 30	42 00	17 50	14 00	.....
Southwest City Circuit.....	S. P. Cayton....	75	63 10	250	214 20	6 00	6 00	16 25	12 50	42 00	21 50	42 00	30 00	14 00	.....
Pineville Circuit.....	J. A. Jared.....	70	47 20	400	283 75	6 00	6 00	23 50	14 35	40 00	25 30	40 00	25 20	13 00	.....
Newtonia Circuit.....	J. G. L. Mitchell	75	51 60	425	301 75	6 00	6 00	25 00	15 10	42 00	16 00	42 00	15 00	14 00	.....
Exeter Circuit.....	J. J. Kellar....	65	27 85	385	167 00	6 00	3 00	22 50	10 70	40 00	5 35	40 00	5 35	13 00	.....
Grangeville Circuit.....	J. R. Hargis....	50	17 00	200	67 90	4 00	3 00	12 50	4 00	30 00	2 50	30 00	2 50	9 00	.....
Pierce City Station.....	W. F. Moore....	80	51 45	560	353 30	7 00	7 00	32 00	24 00	45 00	20 75	45 00	27 00	15 00	.....
Monette and Sarcoxie Circuit	F. M. Totten....	60	42 85	390	280 65	5 60	2 30	22 50	11 63	33 00	7 50	33 00	5 25	10 00	.....
Red Oak Circuit.....	Rush McDonald	75	55 10	525	385 80	6 00	6 00	30 00	20 00	42 00	20 00	42 00	20 00	14 00	.....
Carthage Station.....	J. M. Clayton...	85	76 25	700	666 35	7 00	7 00	39 25	36 15	50 00	23 20	50 00	23 20	17 00	.....
Webb City Station.....	J. E. Carpenter.	90	90 00	625	661 00	9 00	9 00	35 75	35 75	50 00	30 00	50 00	50 00	18 00	.....
Cartersville and H. Grove Ct.	W. C. Bewley...	85	56 75	575	525 00	7 00	5 00	33 00	20 00	59 00	20 00	50 00	8 60	17 00	.....
Jasper Circuit.....	J. P. Callaway...	75	52 00	400	275 00	6 00	5 10	23 75	14 00	42 00	12 00	42 00	12 00	14 00	.....
Missionary Appropriation.....	J. A. Swift.....	200	200 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Total.....	\$1230	\$984 45	\$6555	\$5010 40	\$90 00	\$78 40	\$389 75	\$267 13	\$600 00	\$555 40	\$600 00	\$312 30	\$200 00	.....
CLINTON DISTRICT—															
Sedalia Station.....	W. CARPENTER.	100	81 68	1000	\$825 95	10 00	\$10 00	55 00	45 35	79 00	50 00	70 00	60 00	20 00	\$20 00
Sedalia Circuit.....	A. R. Faris.....	75	72 00	600	573 00	10 00	10 00	33 75	33 75	50 00	50 00	50 00	50 00	16 00	16 00
Glenstead Circuit.....	J. T. Robb.....	65	28 50	325	170 05	6 00	7 00	19 50	12 00	49 00	25 00	40 00	8 40	12 00	.....
Versailles Station.....	H. C. Allen.....	70	47 50	500	500 00	6 00	8 00	28 50	28 50	45 00	45 00	45 00	26 75	14 00	14 00
Green Ridge Circuit.....	L. B. Noland....	70	65 00	590	400 00	6 00	10 00	28 50	28 50	45 00	45 00	45 00	45 00	13 00	13 00
Windsor Station.....	J. F. Hogan....	70	70 00	500	500 00	6 00	6 00	28 50	28 50	40 00	30 00	40 00	30 00	12 00	.....
Calhoun Circuit.....	J. McCrory....	75	68 00	450	380 00	7 00	10 00	26 25	26 25	45 00	45 00	45 00	55 00	14 00	14 00
Drake Circuit.....	J. S. Russell....	75	.....	475	.....	7 00	8 00	27 50	30 00	45 00	53 80	45 00	48 60	14 00	20 00
Lincoln Circuit.....	R. G. Flummer..	65	.....	475	.....	7 00	8 00	27 50	30 00	45 00	53 80	45 00	48 60	14 00	20 00
Lincoln Circuit.....	N. A. Auld.....	65	65 00	430	430 00	4 00	6 00	24 75	25 00	45 00	45 00	45 00	45 00	13 00	13 00
Osceola Circuit.....	M. Bahrenburg..	60	36 00	500	270 00	5 00	.....	28 00	10 50	40 00	.....	40 00	.....	13 00	.....
Deepwater Circuit.....	C. Bruner.....	45	38 65	400	305 25	3 00	.....	22 25	17 20	30 00	1 00	30 00	4 30	8 00	8 00
Lucas Circuit.....	C. A. Emmons...	75	69 75	600	559 15	8 00	8 00	33 75	27 95	45 00	40 00	45 00	25 00	14 00	12 00
Montrose Circuit.....	C. Bruner.....	75	70 00	600	550 50	10 00	10 00	33 75	33 75	60 00	48 50	60 00	54 50	20 00	20 00
Clinton Station.....	M. Adkisson....	85	67 50	825	601 15	8 00	4 00	45 50	22 00	50 00	20 10	50 00	20 00	16 00	7 00
Missionary Appropriation.....	W. F. Hogan....	250	250 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Total.....	\$1255	\$1101 34	\$7705	\$6529 05	\$96 00	\$97 00	\$435 50	\$369 25	\$650 00	\$498 40	\$650 00	\$472 55	\$200 00	\$157 00

NEVADA DISTRICT—		J. KING.																	
Nevada Station.....	J. M. Boon.....	\$200	\$200 00	\$1500	\$1500 00	\$12 00	\$16 00	\$85 00	\$85 00	\$125 00	\$100 00	\$125 00	\$100 00	\$33 00	\$33 00				
Moundville Circuit.....	J. A. Greening..	100	91 00	625	575 00	8 00	8 00	36 25	33 30	57 00	36 35	57 00	36 35	29 00	15 00				
Sheldon Circuit.....	J. T. Loyall.....	89	59 89	590	373 65	7 00	9 01	29 03	29 06	45 03	47 50	45 00	28 31	20 00	7 50				
Kenoma Circuit.....	R. O. Eustace....	45	17 59	259	102 29	2 00	2 00	14 75	2 95	17 00	4 75	17 00	4 35	8 00	8 00				
Montevault Circuit.....	T. C. Puckett....	50	35 50	450	399 69	4 00	4 00	25 00	21 50	30 00	20 00	30 00	20 00	10 00	10 00				
Eldorado Station.....	W. M. Prottsman	65	39 59	690	355 09	4 00	4 00	33 25	19 75	30 03	9 00	30 00	13 00	8 00	4 00				
Walker Circuit.....	T. W. Alton.....	89	65 59	350	288 35	6 00	6 00	21 50	14 40	35 00	18 00	35 00	18 00	15 00	2 00				
Metz Circuit.....	C. G. Hamilton..	63	44 89	250	187 39	5 00	5 00	15 50	11 60	39 03	18 00	30 00	12 00	10 00					
Hume Circuit.....	B. V. Alton.....	90	83 03	690	568 95	8 00	8 00	34 50	.....	55 03	15 00	55 03	15 00	29 00	3 10				
Sprague Circuit.....	V. J. Sevier.....	75	54 90	630	439 55	6 00	8 00	33 75	21 97	35 00	17 00	35 03	16 00	15 00	13 00				
Rich Hill Station.....	R. H. Shaeffer..	100	100 00	700	705 00	7 00	10 00	40 00	40 00	50 00	50 00	50 00	50 00	20 00	29 00				
Butler Circuit.....	J. M. Stultz.....	89	62 49	630	468 20	7 00	7 50	34 00	27 41	35 00	36 00	35 00	36 00	15 00	16 00				
Everett Circuit.....	J. F. Pike.....	65	42 59	590	310 00	5 00	7 00	28 25	17 25	30 00	21 00	30 00	30 20	10 00	8 00				
Papinsville Circuit.....	J. W. Rothrock..	70	65 50	300	271 89	6 00	6 00	18 50	18 50	35 00	12 10	35 00	12 05	12 00	12 00				
Roscoe Mission.....	R. E. Nunn.....	40	22 75	250	143 59	4 00	2 00	14 50	5 29	16 00	8 00	16 00	8 00	9 00	3 85				
Missionary Appropriation.....		159	159 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total.....		\$1359	\$1134 65	\$8975	\$6598 10	\$91 00	\$102 51	\$463 75	\$347 89	\$650 00	\$412 39	\$650 00	\$389 06	\$225 00	\$155 45				
LEBANON DISTRICT—		J. D. Wood.																	
Lebanon Station.....	J. M. Nickels....	40	\$25 75	\$400	\$267 91	\$4 00	\$ 50	\$22 00	\$ 6 00	\$15 00	\$3 25	\$15 00	\$ 3 75	\$ 7 00	\$ 50				
Lebanon Circuit.....	C. K. Shilling...	59	39 29	310	185 62	5 00	3 00	18 00	9 00	29 00	6 25	20 00	6 15	10 00	1 00				
Richland Circuit.....	J. W. Perry.....	59	27 27	400	219 02	4 00	3 00	22 50	10 95	15 09	6 09	15 00	5 00	7 00	7 00				
Decaturville Circuit.....	J. F. Turner.....	39	12 10	300	98 89	3 00	1 00	16 50	.....	8 00	1 00	8 00	.....	5 00	.....			
Waynesville Circuit.....	R. J. Hoare.....	59	27 35	265	156 56	4 00	4 00	15 75	7 85	15 00	5 00	15 00	4 15	7 00	7 00				
Vienna Circuit.....	C. C. Howard....	50	25 85	390	155 00	4 00	1 00	17 50	7 75	15 00	4 00	15 00	2 50	8 00	1 00				
Buffalo Circuit.....	N. M. Dowdy....	50	28 29	490	231 46	5 00	60	22 59	15 40	20 00	12 00	20 00	11 10	10 00	5 00				
Cross Timbers Circuit.....	W. K. White....	59	22 55	490	184 70	5 00	5 00	22 50	6 00	20 00	5 29	20 00	5 20	10 00	.....			
Wheatland Circuit.....	J. H. Denny.....	59	23 70	359	176 00	4 00	.....	20 00	8 00	15 00	7 95	15 00	1 40	7 00	.....			
Mansfield Circuit.....	W. A. Byrd.....	40	19 65	390	132 65	3 90	3 00	17 00	10 00	11 00	5 00	11 00	5 00	6 00	2 50				
Plato Circuit.....	J. E. Harney....	59	43 00	259	296 00	4 00	1 50	15 00	10 65	15 00	3 00	15 00	3 00	7 00	.....			
Mountain Grove Circuit.....	A. B. Appleby...	50	43 00	400	333 11	5 00	5 00	22 50	22 50	20 00	.....	20 00	20 90	10 00	10 00				
Arno Circuit.....	J. W. Grundy....	40	13 00	100	40 00	4 00	.....	7 00	.....	11 00	.....	11 00	.....	6 00	.....			
Missionary Appropriation.....		690	690 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total.....		\$1290	\$941 00	\$4375	\$2386 83	\$54 00	\$27 60	\$238 75	\$114 90	\$200 00	\$48 25	\$290 00	\$67 25	\$100 00	\$34 00				

RECAPITULATION—STATISTICAL.

DISTRICTS.	PRESIDING ELDERS.	Local Preachers.	No. Members.	Additions by Certificate.	Removals and Deaths.	No. of Infants Baptized.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. Churches.	No. Parsonages Val. Churches.	Value of Par- sonages.	Value of Other Church Prop- erty.	Money Expended on Cuphes and Parages.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars.	Collected for S. Schools.	Collected for Miss'ns by S. S.	Collected on Children's Day
Kansas City.....	C. H. Briggs.....	17	4,562	559	441	463	80	209	41 1/4	\$270,505	11	\$16,220	34	400	7757	\$2708 18	\$79 64
Lexington.....	W. T. McClure.....	2	3,764	205	131	205	31	169	40	79,000	13	13,050	31	262	2055	858 42	73 55
Boonville.....	J. M. Clark.....	11	3,522	346	126	321	57	206	30 1/2	82,850	13	19,300	30	270	2678	601 06	81 37
Springfield.....	L. W. Pearce.....	41	4,358	243	112	308	50	138	46	72,425	12	12,600	41	226	2514	619 64	45 62
Neosho.....	T. D. Payne.....	14	2,632	312	141	138	42	200	24 1/2	40,250	9	5,500	20	187	1500	247 54	20 84
Clinton.....	W. J. Carpenter.....	16	3,593	338	147	213	44	222	40 1/2	55,500	9	7,250	16	307	2424	577 08	32 81
Nevada.....	Joseph King.....	23	3,417	543	227	303	57	318	22 1/2	67,200	8	8,500	20	322	2585	582 20	29 06
Lebanon.....	J. D. Wood.....	20	2,461	286	120	120	13	209	33	23,000	4	2,550	31	261	1678	215 75	20 19
Total.....		100	29,169	2754	1525	2131	454	1671	294 1/4	\$642,150	79	\$84,310	259	2175	18371	\$6370 47	\$83 08
Total last year.....		174	28,100				578	1008	269 3/4	617,350	69	76,505	245	2215	16178	5584 34	401 63
Increase.....			1,069				63	24 1/2		74,800	10	7,745	14	60	1333	786 13	
Decrease.....		14					124									144 20	\$18 55

RECAPITULATION—FINANCIAL.

DISTRICTS.	Presiding Elder.		Preacher in Charge.		Bishops.		Conference Claimants.		Foreign Missions.		Domestic Missions.		Church Extension.	
	Assessed..	Paid.....	Assessed..	Paid.....	Assessed..	Paid.....	Assessed..	Paid.....	Assessed..	Paid.....	Assessed..	Paid.....	Assessed..	Paid.....
Kansas City—C. H. Briggs.....	\$2100	\$2321 70	\$18225	\$17498 10	\$256 00	\$252 00	\$1031 25	\$375 12	\$1700 00	\$1565 16	\$1700 00	\$1473 03	\$450 00	\$426 00
Lexington—T. M. Cobb.....	1350	1190 02	9885	9515 27	225 50	195 60	561 75	554 15	1150 00	1014 20	1150 00	928 00	350 00	284 65
Boonville—J. M. Clark.....	1401	1278 60	10490	9485 85	222 00	157 00	594 60	501 35	1150 00	864 84	1150 00	828 20	350 00	273 25
Springfield—L. W. Pearce.....	1023	811 30	8000	6476 72	50 00	81 60	451 40	323 25	700 00	323 33	700 00	209 28	250 00	109 91
Neosho—T. D. Payne.....	1260	984 45	635	5010 40	90 00	78 40	380 75	267 13	600 00	555 40	600 00	312 30	200 00	350 00
Clinton—W. J. Carpenter.....	1255	1101 34	7005	6529 05	96 00	97 00	435 50	369 25	650 00	438 40	650 00	472 55	200 00	157 00
Nevada—J. King.....	1350	1134 65	8075	6528 10	91 00	102 51	463 75	347 80	650 00	412 30	650 00	389 06	225 00	155 45
Lebanon—J. D. Wood.....	1200	941 62	4375	2473 21	54 00	27 60	238 75	114 90	200 00	48 25	200 00	67 25	100 00	34 00
Total.....	\$10945	\$9493 62	\$73400	\$63586 70	\$1124 50	\$991 71	\$4157 75	\$3453 04	\$6800 00	\$5281 88	\$6800 00	\$4680 27	\$2125 00	\$1800 26
Total last year.....	10810	9251 10	72540	61851 84	944 16	832 48	4119 40	3436 14	6848 00	7011 00	6848 00	4382 22	1997 60	1480 32
Increase.....	135	242 52	860		180 34	159 23	38 35	16 90		268 88		297 05	127 40	319 94
Decrease.....				1265 14					48 00	1720 21	48 00			

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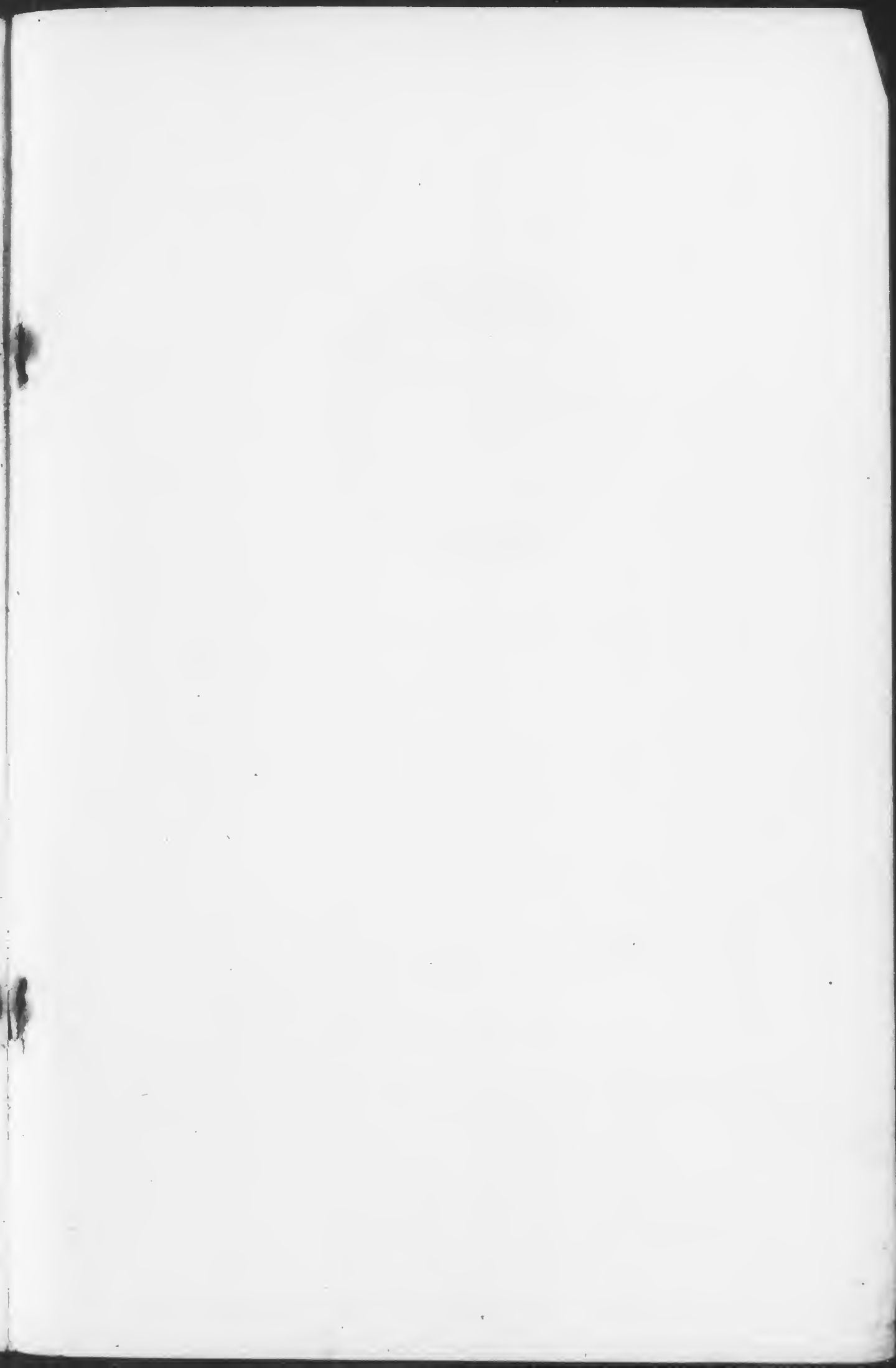
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